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*A Summary of the Provisions  
of Federal, State, and Provincial  
Statutes*



THE THIRTY-SIXTH annual summary by the Bureau of Biological Survey of Federal and other game laws and regulations is here presented to inform hunters, farmers, and others interested in wildlife regarding the relation of restrictions on hunting to the future enjoyment of the sport and to aid Federal and State law-enforcement officials in the administration of the Migratory Bird Treaty and Lacey Acts and other laws for the conservation and restoration of game.

It constitutes in ready-reference form a convenient synopsis of the laws. Provisions relating to methods of capture, game refuges, enforcement of laws, disposition of fees and fines, and minor matters are omitted, as also are full texts of Federal and Canadian laws and regulations relating to birds and game. Species not listed under "open seasons" for States and Provinces are protected there at all times.

Persons desiring information regarding further restrictions set by State or Provincial law or regulation on seasons, limits, possession, and other hunting provisions should communicate with the appropriate officials, whose addresses are given on page 37 of this bulletin.

The illustration on the title page is reproduced from an adaptation of the drawing made by Frank W. Benson for use in designing the Federal migratory-bird hunting stamp for this season. The ducks shown are canvasbacks (*Nyroca valisineria*).

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## A SUMMARY OF FEDERAL, STATE, AND PROVINCIAL STATUTES

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## INTRODUCTION

### SAVING SEED STOCK FOR THE FUTURE

IT IS now well recognized that the once-plentiful game of North America is facing serious depletion and in many cases possible extermination, unless man so mends his ways as to make conditions in the future somehow resemble those of the past. The pioneers marveled at the abundance of game birds and animals on this continent. In recent years hunters have found it difficult to believe the accounts of scarcity. Today these accounts, doubted by comparatively few, have in fact become the basis of a national program designed to restore the game and other useful wildlife.

This program represents a part of man's efforts to mend his ways. As the mistakes made in his dominion over wildlife are of two kinds, so also, if the wrongs are to be righted, must his restitution have a twofold aspect. The two mistakes may be described as (1) overshooting and (2) destruction of the habitat in which the game was produced. The two aspects of the policy of correction are thus (1) regulation of hunting and (2) restoration of areas taken from game and unwisely turned into drainage projects or unneeded farm lands. Restoration may be furthered in many ways, but as sponsored by the Federal Government it has consisted largely of wildlife-refuge establishment. The principal accomplishments in such work are told briefly on the next page. The main concern of this publication, however, is with regulation rather than restoration as a means of conservation; in other words, with saving seed stock for the future.

Game laws have been with the sportsman so long that they may have a familiarity breeding a neglect of their values. While abiding

by their letter, he may have come to overlook their benefits, and may hesitate to welcome additional restraints when these are found necessary to the conservation of the game and thus to the future of his sport. Furthermore, because abusive hunting practices and overshooting are not the sole causes of game decreases—and it has accordingly been necessary to call attention to other factors involved—there is danger of underestimating the importance of restrictions on hunting. Although there are certainly heavy losses to game through natural causes, the loss due to hunting may have the effect of the proverbial last straw, and it is at the same time the loss over which man can have the most definite control. The restoration of habitat is necessary to a future game supply, but an adequate breeding stock is indispensable. Destruction of the breeding stock of today cannot be offset by restoration of nesting areas for the future. With these thoughts in mind, the sportsman will be likely to give game laws their proper importance.

#### THE MIGRATORY-BIRD REFUGE PROGRAM

The fiscal year that ended in June 1935 registered the restoration of 19 major migratory-waterfowl areas and 13 secondary refuges and nesting grounds. These involved practically every waterfowl flyway in the United States. Among the outstanding bird-refuge projects, some of which are already under Biological Survey administration, are Lake Malheur in Oregon, Lake Mattamuskeet in North Carolina, the Upper Souris and Lower Souris sections in North Dakota, the Valentine Lakes area in Nebraska, and the Medicine and Bowdoin Lakes in Montana.

While title to much of the land in these refuges has not been completely transferred to the United States, the Biological Survey has already undertaken the biological reconditioning of many through arrangements with the former individual landowners. An extensive development program is under way, including such rehabilitation measures as water impoundment, food plantings, building of nesting islands, and erection of stock-proof fencing.

In addition to the accomplishment of the restoration of these 32 nesting and feeding refuges during the year, 10 refuges that were purchased by the Bureau before July 1, 1934, but on which biological development had necessarily been neglected for lack of funds, were completely rehabilitated through water stabilization, purchase of additional feeding, nesting, and water areas, and the rounding out of boundaries.

Out of a \$6,000,000 fund recently appropriated, the Biological Survey has tentatively set up a refuge program that includes the restoration of 43 additional areas aggregating 869,172 acres, which, together with the 106 refuges previously set up and the 32 established during the past year, will bring the total number of Bureau refuges to 181, the aggregate area of which is some 3,336,000 acres, exclusive of refuges on island chains in Alaska and Hawaii.

Much of the rehabilitation and development work on the refuges has been accomplished through the establishment of Civilian Conservation Corps camps on 26, distributed in 17 States and operating under direct supervision of the Biological Survey. Five of these are in North Dakota, 2 each in South Dakota, Oregon, Oklahoma, Nebraska, and Arkansas, and 1 each in Georgia, North Carolina,

Maryland, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Utah, Nevada, and California. An area in Oklahoma known as the "Wichita National Forest and Game Preserve" was transferred from the Forest Service to the Bureau of Biological Survey during the past year for administration as a major wildlife refuge and research station, where many needed studies and investigations will be conducted of big-game animals as well as upland and migratory game birds.

#### THE VALUE OF WILDFOWLING RESTRICTIONS

The 1935-36 waterfowl season will inaugurate many changes in the sport of wildfowling, for this season will be one without baiting, without live decoys, without sinkboxes, and without autoloading or other repeating shotguns that carry more than three shells. For years these four phases of wildfowling have been live topics of discussion in every conservation gathering, in every hunting lodge, and in every duck blind in the country. They have been the nightmare of officials charged with formulating regulations. Now the hunter must hunt his game without the aid of these artifices and stratagems. The new regulations will doubtless test the prowess of many gunners, and—who knows?—they may be the means not only of saving thousands of birds for next year's breeding stock but of developing or reviving a type of wildfowler that was fast becoming as rare as some of the wildfowl species.

It has been sought in these annual game-law bulletins to impress upon gunners the necessity of exercising moderation in their kill, of retrieving all crippled birds, and of doing all those things that ordinarily would insure the return of ample breeding stocks to the nesting grounds. Each year has seen an increase in the number of gunners, and a progressive decrease in the acreage of the favorite haunts of the wild fowl. The plight of the wild fowl has become so desperate as to demand the drastic remedial measures being applied this season.

### REVIEW OF LEGISLATION FOR 1935

#### FEDERAL LEGISLATION

An amendment to the Migratory Bird Conservation Act authorizes the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, when the public interests will be benefited thereby, to accept lands on behalf of the United States deemed by the Secretary of Agriculture to be chiefly valuable for migratory bird or other wildlife refuges, and to exchange therefor (1) an equal value of lands acquired for like purposes, (2) the right to cut and remove from such lands an equal value of timber, hay, or other products, or otherwise to use such lands when not incompatible with the protection of the wildlife thereon, or (3) an equal value of surveyed or unsurveyed, unappropriated, and unreserved public lands in the same State, the values in each case to be determined by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Amendments to the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act increase the facilities for the sale of the stamps, including sales to nonhunters, and simplify the procedure in acquiring and validating them.

An amendment to the Lacey Act, regulating interstate commerce in game and other wildlife killed or shipped in violation of law, widens the scope of the act to include the importation into the United States

from a foreign country, of any wild animal or bird, or the dead body or part thereof, or the egg of any such bird, captured, killed, taken, or shipped or transported contrary to the law of the foreign country in which it was killed, captured, or taken, or from which it was shipped, transported, or carried.

Another amendment to the Lacey Act confers upon any employee of the Department of Agriculture authorized to enforce the provisions of the act the power to arrest any person committing a violation of the act in his presence or view; to execute any warrant or other process issued by an officer or court of competent jurisdiction to enforce the provisions of the act; and to execute any warrant to search for and seize wild animals or birds, or the dead bodies or parts thereof, or the eggs of such birds, delivered, shipped, transported, or carried in violation of the act.

An act approved June 15, 1935, provides that 25 percent of all money received during each fiscal year from the sale or disposition of surplus wildlife, or of timber, hay, or other spontaneous products of the soil, sand, shell, or gravel on refuges established under the Migratory Bird Conservation Act or by any other law, proclamation, or Executive order and administered by the Bureau of Biological Survey, shall be paid at the end of such year by the Secretary of the Treasury to the county or counties in which such refuges are located, for the benefit of the public schools and roads in such counties.

Another act of Congress, approved June 15, 1935, appropriated \$6,000,000 from funds unexpended from an appropriation of June 16, 1933, to be available to the Secretary of Agriculture until expended, to enable him to acquire such lands as he may deem necessary for the restoration, rehabilitation, and protection of migratory waterfowl and other wildlife, and for the construction thereon of necessary buildings, dams, dikes, canals, and other works.

Authorization was also given the President to make such allotments as he deems necessary, from emergency funds, for the acquisition of land or water for bird and animal refuges or sanctuaries, but thus far no funds from this source have been made available.

An act to extend complete protection to the American (or bald) eagle, passed the Senate on June 25, 1935, but remained unreported from the Committee on Agriculture in the House, to which it was referred.

#### FEDERAL REGULATIONS

On February 2, 1935, the President approved an amendment to the Federal regulations under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act providing that migratory game birds shall not be taken with or by means of an automatic-loading or hand-operated repeating shotgun capable of holding more than three shells, the magazine of which has not been cut off, or plugged with a one-piece metal or wooden filler incapable of removal through the loading end, so as to reduce the capacity of the gun to not more than three shells at one loading. The regulation was adopted as one means of checking the annually increasing kill of migratory game birds, and of reducing the losses caused by the wounding of birds that were irretrievable. The use of such guns has for a long time been prohibited in most of the Canadian Provinces and in some of the States.

Amendments adopted and approved on July 30 and August 27, 1935, to provide increased protection to migratory birds should prove

particularly effective as wildlife conservation measures. These amendments provide—

(a) That migratory game birds may be taken from a blind, boat, or floating device (except a sinkbox (battery), power boat, sailboat, or any floating craft or device towed by a power boat or sailboat) not more than 100 feet from the shore line as determined by ordinary high water, or not more than 100 feet from any natural growth or vegetation protruding above the water extending from or existing beyond such shore line. Scoters (sea coots) are excepted from the provisions of this regulation.

(b) That waterfowl and mourning doves may not be taken with or by the aid of corn, wheat, oats, or other grain or products thereof, salt, or any kind of feed by whomsoever, or for whatsoever purpose, placed, deposited, distributed, scattered, or otherwise put out in any environment, whereby such waterfowl or doves are lured, attracted, or enticed to the hunter. In 1934 the taking of waterfowl and doves on baited premises was prohibited except under seasonal permits issued by the Bureau of Biological Survey. The 1935 amendment discards the permit system and eliminates baiting entirely.

(c) That the use, directly or indirectly, of live duck or goose decoys in the taking of waterfowl, is not permitted.

(d) That the shooting hours for the hunting or taking of waterfowl, coots, and Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), shall be from 7 a. m. to 4 p. m., standard time; and for rails (other than coot), woodcock, mourning doves, and band-tailed pigeons, from 7 a. m. to sunset.

(e) That a person taking migratory game birds for scientific purposes, under permit, may not take them between 4 p. m. and 7 a. m. standard time, or in any manner or by any means not permitted by regulation 3.

#### OPEN SEASONS

**Waterfowl, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), coot.**—The "rest-day" or "lay-day" plan of providing an open season, adopted in 1934, was abandoned this year in favor of a straight 30-day season for all States. The United States was divided into north and south zones for the hunting of waterfowl, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe, and coot.

In the northern zone, embracing States north of and including Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York (including Long Island), Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, and Nevada, the open season was fixed at October 21 to November 19, both dates inclusive.

In the south zone, embracing all States south of those above named, the open season was fixed at November 20 to December 19, both dates inclusive.

In Alaska, west of the one hundred forty-first meridian the season was fixed at September 1 to September 30, and east of that meridian at September 20 to October 19.

**Rails.**—The general season on rails and gallinules, other than coot, remains September 1 to November 30, except in Washington and Massachusetts, where it is October 1 to November 30; in New York (including Long Island) and Wisconsin, October 21 to November 19; and Louisiana, November 1 to January 31.

**Woodcock.**—Readjustments were made in the woodcock season in several States. The two zones heretofore existing in New York were abolished and a straight season of October 15 to November 14 was provided for the entire State, grouping it with New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Iowa. Michigan was included in the group comprising Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, and North Dakota, the season being October 1 to October 31. In the remaining States in which an open season was provided the seasons remain unchanged.

**Doves.**—Changes in the dove seasons find a regrouping of States, particularly in the South. Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Louisiana, and Arizona have a straight season from September 21 to January 5, the split season heretofore applying in the Carolinas being eliminated. Delaware, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico have the season from September 21 to December 15. In Texas the two zones established under State law are recognized, except that a few counties, or parts of counties lying north of the boundary line are given the same season as in the south zone, which is December 1 to January 16; in the north zone it is September 21 to October 31. Alabama was given the season September 21 to January 5 except in the three southwestern counties, where the split season September 21 to September 30 and November 1 to January 31 was provided. In California the season is September 21 to September 30, except in three southern fish and game districts, where it runs to



October 31. In Georgia, Florida, and Mississippi split seasons were provided, the earlier season in Georgia being September 21 to October 20, in Florida September 21 to September 30, and in Mississippi September 21 to October 5; the later season in all three States is November 20 to January 31. Notwithstanding the open seasons provided under Federal regulations, in some of the States the season will remain closed under State law.

#### BAG AND POSSESSION LIMITS

Under an amendment to regulation 5, the daily bag limits were materially reduced, as follows: Ducks, from 12 to 10 in the aggregate of species on which there is an open season; coots, from 25 to 15; rails (except sora) and gallinules from 25 in the aggregate to 15; jacksnipe from 20 to 15. Possession of more than 1 day's bag limit at any one time is not permitted, nor may a person ship, transport, or carry from one State to another more than 1 day's bag limit in 1 calendar week.

The full text of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act, the Migratory Bird Hunting Stamp Act, and other Federal laws relating to wildlife is published in Service and Regulatory Announcements B. S.-82; the full text of the regulations under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act is published in Service and Regulatory Announcements B. S.-83. Copies of these can be obtained from the Bureau of Biological Survey upon request.

#### STATE LEGISLATION

Regular legislative sessions were held in 43 States, and special sessions in several others, at which legislation of importance to game conservation, and game-law administration was enacted.

#### ADMINISTRATION

An act of the Alabama Legislature approved August 12, 1935, abolished the Department of Game and Fisheries and created the Department of Conservation of Game, Fish, and Sea Foods and provided for appointment by the Governor of a commissioner of conservation for game, fish, and sea foods upon the expiration of the term of office of the present commissioner of game and fisheries. The act also provided for appointment of a conservation board of seven members, to be appointed by the Governor, to meet at the call of the commissioner and advise with him in the formulation of a wildlife policy, to fix open seasons, bag limits, and methods of taking, and to do all other things necessary to carry out the provisions of the act.

In Arkansas the game and fish commission was increased from 5 to 7 members, and the commission authorized to adopt necessary rules and regulations and to fix seasons and bag limits.

In Indiana the conservation department, under a "discretionary power" act, was authorized to suspend or abridge the open season, to modify or decrease bag limits, and to regulate the taking or killing of game whenever it may determine that a species is threatened with depletion or extermination.

Connecticut authorized its board of fisheries and game to extend the hunting, fishing, or trapping seasons, to fix bag limits, and to control methods of taking when necessary.

Florida provided for a commission of game and fresh-water fish, the five members to be appointed by the Governor, and vested it with all the powers and duties of the former game and fish commissioner.

Maryland reverted to a conservation commission form of administration, providing for a board of three members appointed by the Governor. The commission was given power to restrict or suspend the provisions of law with respect to the taking of game or fish and to adopt regulations after due notice and public hearing.

Nebraska enacted legislation providing that the game commission shall be operated under civil service. All employees are required to undergo oral and written examinations, selections to be made from an eligible list. Under the new law a director and chief conservation officer will administer the game and fish laws and act as secretary of the commission but will not be a member thereof or have a vote. The Governor will no longer be chairman of the commission, one of the members being chosen as such.

New Hampshire provided for appointment by the Governor of a fish and game commission of five members. No power was vested in it to fix seasons or bag limits, its authority extending to law enforcement. The commission selects a director of fish and game. Another act of the legislature provides that no per-

son shall hunt, capture, or kill any migratory game bird except at such times and in such numbers as may be prescribed by Federal regulation, and makes the Federal regulations a part of the game laws of the State.

Iowa provided for a conservation commission of seven members, and authorized it to employ a conservation director. All the powers and duties vested in the State Board of Conservation were reinvested in the newly created commission.

South Carolina provided for a game and fish commission of six members to be appointed by the Governor, the duties of the commission to be advisory to the State game warden.

Tennessee adopted a model game law providing for a board of conservation for game, fish, and wildlife, composed of five members appointed by the Governor. The board, however, has no power to fix seasons or bag limits. It elects a director of game and fish conservation, who administers the State game and fish laws.

Vermont authorized the Governor to appoint the three members of a newly created department of conservation and development, which consists of a fish and game service, a forest service, and a publicity service. A director of fish and game is appointed to be the responsible head of that service. No power to fix seasons and bag limits is vested in the department.

Ohio provided for a conservation council with authority to establish rules and regulations for taking game, game birds, and fur-bearing animals, including power to fix seasons and bag limits.

In Rhode Island there was established a division of fish and game under the department of agriculture and conservation, the director of which appoints the chief of the division of game. This division assumes all the duties heretofore performed by the commissioners of birds, and also the powers and duties of the former harbor commission.

#### SEASONS

##### BIG GAME

**Deer.**—Idaho changed and lengthened deer season in 5 counties to open October 5 and close November 5 instead of November 15 to December 1, and in 2 counties to open October 5 and close November 10 instead of November 1 to 30, and in 1 other county from October 20 to 24 to open October 20 and close October 30. Maine shortened the season in 1 county 10 days, opening November 10 instead of November 1. Florida extended the season in 1 county to close February 1 instead of December 31. West Virginia provided a uniform opening date of November 11 for the hunting of all game except quail and migratory birds. Massachusetts provided a season in Nantucket County, December 2 to 7. Mississippi extended the season in 17 counties to open November 20 instead of December 15 and close January 1 instead of January 15, and in 1 county provided for only 3 shooting days a week during the same open period. In 2 counties the season was opened from November 20 to January 1, and in 2 more it was changed from December 15 to 31 to December 1 to 16, except in 2 counties where the season November 1 to December 1 was prescribed. In New Mexico a restricted area was opened for 4 days to doe-deer hunting. North Carolina extended the season 17 days to close January 1 instead of December 15, except in 6 counties, where it was closed. North Dakota made the season November 16 to 25 except in 18 counties and in part of 2 others. Oregon shortened the season 2 days, to open September 22 instead of September 20. Pennsylvania shortened the season 5 days, opening December 2 instead of December 1 and closing December 11 instead of December 15. A 3-day season (December 12 to 14) was provided on antlerless deer in 12 counties. Wisconsin closed the season. Wyoming extended the season 5 days in 6 counties, closing November 5 instead of October 31, and in 3 counties opened it October 15 instead of October 20; in 2 counties it was shortened 15 days, closing November 15 instead of November 30. The season was opened in 3 counties October 13 to 31 and closed in 4 additional counties.

**Bear.**—Alabama shortened the season, to open November 1 instead of September 1. Florida opened the season November 20 to December 31 in 1 county. West Virginia prohibited bear hunting with dogs during the deer season. North Carolina shortened the season 15 days throughout the State, closing January 1 instead of January 15. Pennsylvania opened the season for 3 days. Virginia provided a State-wide season of November 15 to December 31 except in 2 counties where it was made the month of November. Wisconsin closed the season throughout the State.

**Moose.**—In Maine the season was opened for 3 days—November 28 to 30. Wyoming closed 1 additional county, leaving an open season in 4 counties only.

**Elk.**—Idaho changed the season in 1 county from November 15 to December 1 to October 5 to November 10. Oregon extended the season 3 days in 5 counties, opening November 10 instead of November 5 and closing November 19 instead of November 11. Wyoming closed 2 counties while in 5 counties the season was extended 5 days, closing November 5 instead of October 31.

**Mountain goat.**—Idaho changed the season from October 10 to 20 to October 15 to 31.

**Mountain sheep.**—Wyoming closed the season throughout the State.

#### SMALL GAME

**Rabbits and squirrels.**—Alabama changed season on squirrel in 10 counties from October 1–December 31 to November 1–January 31. Arizona closed on squirrels. Illinois and Indiana prescribed zone seasons on rabbits and squirrels. Massachusetts opened a season on gray squirrel in 2 counties, October 20 to November 20. New Hampshire made a squirrel season of October 1 to November 1 and shortened the season on rabbits 1 month, closing February 1, instead of February 28. In New York the season on varying hare was changed from October 15–January 31 to October 28–December 31, and was closed in 2 additional counties. The season on cottontail rabbits was shortened, to open October 28 instead of October 15. North Carolina provided a State-wide rabbit season from November 26 to February 15 instead of the former zone seasons. In Ohio the squirrel season was changed from September 15–October 1 to October 1–15. Oregon closed the State to silver-gray squirrel hunting except in 8 counties, where a season from August 15 to November 1 was provided. West Virginia provided a split season on squirrel—September 16–30 and November 11–December 25.

**Raccoon, opossum.**—West Virginia closed the season in 11 counties on raccoon, and North Carolina extended the season on raccoon and opossum, opening October 1 instead of November 1 and closing February 1 instead of January 31.

#### GAME BIRDS

**Quail.**—Massachusetts fixed the season October 20 to November 20 in 2 counties formerly closed. Missouri opened the season in 10 counties and closed it in 4, while in 1 county it was extended, opening November 10 instead of December 1 and closing December 31. In North Carolina a State-wide season from November 26 to February 15 supersedes the former zone seasons. Oregon provided a State-wide season from October 13 to 31, except in 8 counties, where the season remains closed.

**Pheasant.**—Kentucky closed the season on introduced pheasant. Indiana opened on male pheasant, November 10 to 14. Minnesota provided a split season in 51 counties—October 19–27 and November 9–19, instead of the former straight season from October 20 to November 4. In Massachusetts the season was opened on male birds in 2 counties, October 20 to November 20. Michigan reduced the season in the Lower Peninsula to 13 days. In New Hampshire the season was extended 5 days, closing November 11 instead of November 6, except in 2 counties where it remains closed. New Mexico opened the season for 2 days—October 20–21. New York extended the season from October 29–November 3 to October 25–November 9, and in North Dakota the season was changed from October 20–November 2 to October 15–November 1.

**Turkey.**—North Carolina adopted a State-wide season of November 26 to February 1, except in 4 counties that remained closed, instead of the former zone seasons. Pennsylvania closed 3 additional counties, thus making a closed season in 22 counties.

**Grouse and Hungarian partridge.**—Indiana closed the season on ruffed grouse, and opened one on Hungarian partridge from November 10 to December 20. In the Lower Peninsula of Michigan the 31-day season on ruffed grouse, sharp-tailed grouse, and Hungarian partridge was reduced to 13 days in the counties having an open season. Minnesota closed on ruffed grouse, while Massachusetts opened in 2 additional counties, October 20 to November 20. North Carolina made the ruffed-grouse season November 20 to December 15. North Dakota closed the season on Hungarian partridge and extended the ruffed-grouse season in 4 counties, to open October 7 instead of September 28 and close October 16 instead of October 4. Oregon provided a general opening date of October 13 instead of October 15 on upland birds (except quail) with some purely local exceptions.

In Minnesota, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Wisconsin, and Wyoming a number of adjustments, purely local in character, were made in the seasons on upland game birds and animals, the details of which may be found under the respective States.

#### LICENSES

Arizona prescribed a general hunting and fishing license for residents, \$3.50; a small-game and fishing license, \$2.50; and an alien hunting and fishing license, \$25. Delaware provided for a 5-day hunting and fishing license for nonresidents, costing \$5.50, and increased the resident license fee from \$1.10 to \$1.25. Florida provided a 10-day license for nonresidents, costing \$10.50, and reduced the State-wide resident license from \$8 to \$5.50. Iowa adopted a general resident hunting license, \$1; and a combined hunting and fishing license, \$1.50. Heretofore residents more than 16 years old paid \$2 and those under 16 only \$1, while the combined hunting and fishing license was \$2.50. Maine increased the resident hunting and fishing license fee from \$1.15 to \$2.15, and the resident hunting license fee from \$.65 to \$1.15.

#### BAG LIMITS

In Michigan the seasonal limit on pheasant was increased from 4 to 6, and on ruffed grouse and prairie chicken combined, from 10 to 25. New Hampshire reduced the daily bag on ruffed grouse from 5 to 4. Reductions in the daily bag on all migratory game birds were effected by changes in the Federal regulations.

#### OTHER LEGISLATION

The State law prohibiting Sunday hunting was repealed in Kansas.

The use of automatic-loading or hand-operated repeating shotguns capable of carrying more than three shells in the taking of any game was prohibited in Tennessee.

### PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION

#### BIG GAME

In British Columbia the season on male mountain sheep north of the fifty-sixth parallel, in the eastern district, was fixed at August 15 to November 15, while in the rest of the district it remained as heretofore, September 1 to November 15.

In Manitoba the season on caribou, moose, and deer was shortened north of the fifty-third parallel, to open October 1 instead of November 15, and close October 15 instead of December 5. South of that parallel a straight season, November 25 to December 5 was provided, instead of the former split season, September 25-October 15 and November 15-December 5.

Northwest Territories fixed a season on polar bears from October 1 to May 31.

In Ontario the season on deer and bull moose north of French and Mattawa Rivers was shortened, to open October 25 instead of October 20.

Quebec provided a general closing date of November 30 for bull moose and caribou, instead of December 31, and shortened the deer season, to close October 31 instead of November 30.

#### GAME BIRDS

Alberta shortened the season on sharp-tailed grouse north of the Canadian Pacific Railway to 10 days—October 1 to 10. Heretofore the season extended through the entire month, and south of the railway it was closed.

Nova Scotia closed the season on ruffed grouse, and Saskatchewan shortened it, to close October 15 instead of October 31.

Under Dominion regulations, the seasons on ducks, geese, and coots in two districts in British Columbia were extended, to close December 15 instead of November 30, while the season on band-tailed pigeon was extended to open September 7 instead of September 8 and to close October 20 instead of October 15.

In Manitoba, the season on ducks, geese, coots, and rails north of the fifty-third parallel was shortened, opening September 10 instead of September 1, and closing October 31 instead of November 30.

In Nova Scotia the general season on woodcock and jacksnipe was shortened, to close November 15 instead of January 15.

In Ontario, north of French and Mattawa Rivers the season on ducks, geese, brant, rails, and coots was shortened, to open September 15 instead of September 1, and close November 30 instead of December 15; south of those rivers the season was shortened to open October 1, instead of September 15, and close November 30 instead of December 15.

## SUMMARY OF LAWS RELATING TO SEASONS, LICENSES, LIMITS, POSSESSION, TRANSPORTATION, AND SALE

### GENERAL INFORMATION

Persons are advised to obtain from State game commissioners the full text of game laws in States where hunting is contemplated. (See list on p. 37.) They should also obtain information from the Bureau of Biological Survey or State game departments regarding the existence of Federal and State game and bird refuges in areas in which they contemplate hunting, as the location of refuges and the restrictions regarding hunting thereon are not included in this bulletin.

### OPEN-SEASON DATES

The dates of open seasons for migratory game birds shown under the various States and Provinces are the times when these birds may be hunted without violating either State or Provincial laws or Federal or Canadian regulations.

In stating the open season the plan has been followed of including the first and last days thereof. The difficulty of attaining absolute accuracy in a statement of the seasons is great, but summaries have been submitted to the proper State or Provincial game officials for correction and approval, and the dates as stated are believed to be free from material errors.

### REST DAYS

Under the laws of some States certain days of the week constitute rest days, or close seasons during the period when hunting is permitted. Persons contemplating shooting trips should inform themselves of the provisions of State law in this respect.

### FURTHER RESTRICTIONS BY STATES

The States may shorten the open seasons fixed by Federal regulations on migratory birds, reduce the bag limits, prohibit export, restrict the period during which migratory birds may be possessed in close season, or make other laws or regulations to give further protection to such birds, but may not lengthen the open season, increase the bag limit, permit sale, or otherwise lessen the protection afforded by Federal law.

### STATE LAWS

#### ALABAMA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male).....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Bear.....	Nov. 1-Feb. 28.
Squirrel (see exception).....	Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
<i>Exception:</i> In Baldwin, Butler, Bibb, Chilton, Choctaw, Clarke, Conecuh, Coosa, Covington, Crenshaw, Dallas, Escambia, Greene, Hale, Lowndes, Macon, Mobile, Monroe, Montgomery, Perry, Pike, Randolph, Tuscaloosa, Washington, and Wilcox Counties.....	
Quail (partridge).....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Wild turkey gobbler.....	Nov. 20-Feb. 20.
Ruffed grouse, introduced pheasant.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
	Mar. 1-Apr. 10.
	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.

Open seasons—Continued.	Dates inclusive
Dove (see exception).....	Sept. 21-Jan. 5.
<i>Exception:</i> In Mobile, Baldwin, and Washington Counties.....	
Woodcock.....	Sept. 21-Sept. 30.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Rails (except coot), gallinules.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Hunting licenses: Nonresident or alien, \$25. Nonresident 1-week trip license, \$5. Resident—State, \$3; county, \$1. Issued by probate judges, commissioner, and authorized agents. Landlords, tenants, and members of families may hunt without license on lands they own or rent.	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Bag and possession limits: 1 buck deer a day or in possession, 5 a season; 1 turkey gobbler a day or in	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

possession, 10 a season; 10 squirrels, 15 quail a day or in possession; 10 ducks in the aggregate a day; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 25 sora, 15 coot, 15 in the aggregate of rails and gallinules (except sora and coot), 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), 4 woodcock, and 20 doves a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of upland or migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of closed season; other game during first 5 days. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, but nonresident licensee may take with him, openly, game he has lawfully killed, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be exported in 1 calendar week.

# ALASKA

Open seasons: <sup>1</sup>	Dates inclusive
Bull moose (except yearlings and calves).....	Sept. 1-Dec. 31.
Caribou: South of Yukon River.....	Aug. 20-Dec. 31.
North of Yukon River.....	No close season.
Deer (male, with horns not less than 3 inches above skull) east of longitude 138° (south-eastern Alaska).....	Aug. 20-Nov. 15.
In rest of Territory.....	No open season.
Mountain sheep (rams), mountain goats (except kids).....	Aug. 20-Dec. 31.
Bear (large brown and grizzly).....	Sept. 1-June 20.
Black bear, polar bear (fur animals) (see exception).....	No close season.
Exception: Black bear in fur districts 1 and 2.....	Sept. 1-June 20.
Grouse, ptarmigan.....	Sept. 1-Feb. 28.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), coot, west of one hundred forty-first meridian.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
East of one hundred forty-first meridian.....	Sept. 20-Oct. 19.
Rails and gallinules.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident citizen—general, \$50; small game, \$10; licenses issued by commissioners, wardens, and special agents. Resident, \$1, required in first judicial division only; (trapping license, fee \$2, required for taking black bears, which are fur animals under the law; not required of native-born Indians, Eskimos, or half-breeds who have not exercised the right of franchise or severed their tribal relations). Alien, \$100 (special license required to hunt or possess firearms); issued by commission.

Guide, \$10 (issued only to resident citizens or resident native Indian or Eskimo); issued by commission.

Shipping licenses: Resident (export for mounting and return), \$1 for each trophy; resident removing from Territory, \$1 for each trophy; if otherwise, \$5 for each animal, \$1 for each bird. Issued by commission or collector of customs.

**Bag and possession limits:** Caribou, nonresident, 2, resident, 5, a season (except on Alaska Peninsula, resident, 2, nonresident, 1); mountain sheep, nonresident, 2 (on Kenai Peninsula, 1); resident, 3 a season, of which not more than 2 may be taken south of Arctic Circle; 1 moose, 3 deer, 2 mountain goats a season or in possession, except west of longitude 138° 1 deer only a season or in possession; 2 in all of large brown and grizzly bears a season or in possession, except on Admiralty Island, 1 a season.

<sup>1</sup>Certain areas on which all hunting, or the hunting of certain species, is prohibited, may be ascertained by consulting Alaska Game Commission Circular No. 12 and supplements thereto, Laws and Regulations Relating to Game, Land Fur-Bearing Animals and Birds in Alaska, published by the Department of Agriculture, or by communicating with the Alaska Game Commission, Juneau, or the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Game animals legally taken may be possessed and transported within Territory by any person at any time. Fifteen grouse, 25 ptarmigan, but not more than 25 in all of grouse and ptarmigan, a day; 10 in the aggregate of ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 rails (except sora and coot), 25 sora, 15 coot, and 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe) a day. Migratory game birds legally taken may be possessed during the open season and for 10 days thereafter, but not more than 1 day's bag limit may be possessed at one time. Game animals, grouse, ptarmigan, and hides, heads, and feet of game animals or articles made therefrom, and skins and feathers of game birds legally taken may be possessed and transported at any time within Territory, and shed antlers of deer, moose, or caribou may be possessed and transported within or out of the Territory at any time without a license.

**Interstate transportation:** Nonresident citizen or nonresident alien licensee may export 1 moose, 3 deer, 2 caribou (1 from Alaska Peninsula), 2 mountain sheep (1 from Kenai Peninsula), 2 mountain goats, and 2 in all of large brown and grizzly bears (except only 1 from Admiralty Island) killed by himself under license coupon and affidavit that he has not violated the game laws; that big-game animal or part thereof he desires to ship has not been purchased or sold and is not shipped for purpose of being sold; that he lawfully killed the animal and is owner of part thereof that he desires to ship, and if shipment contains caribou or parts thereof, whether animal was killed on Alaska Peninsula.

A nonresident may possess and transport at any time within or out of Territory skins and feathers of game birds and articles manufactured from hides or hoofs of moose, caribou, deer, or goats legally taken.

Residents may export for mounting and return in any one year, but not for sale, heads or trophies of game animal legally acquired under shipping license (fee, \$1 for each trophy).

A resident who is removing his residence from Territory may export trophies of game animals legally acquired by him under shipping license (fee, \$1 for each trophy).

All shipments must be marked with names and addresses of consignor and consignee and number of each kind of game contained therein.

# ARIZONA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male with pronged horn), bear (adult), wild turkey (see exception).....	Oct. 16-Nov. 15.
Exception: Black-tailed or mule deer, bear, turkey, south of Gila River.....	No open season.
Bull elk.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 15.
Antelope, mountain sheep, pecary or javelina, squirrel, grouse, pheasant.....	No open season.
Quail (Gambel's scaled) (see exception).....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Exception: In Apache and Navajo Counties.....	No open season.
White-winged dove.....	July 15-Aug. 31.
Mourning dove.....	Sept. 21-Jan. 5.
Band-tailed pigeon.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident—general hunting and fishing, \$25; small game and fish, \$10. Resident—general hunting and fishing, \$3.50; small game and fish, \$2.50. Alien—game and fish, \$75; small game and fish, \$30. Special license, alien applicant for citizenship, general hunting and fishing, \$25; small game and fish, \$10. Guide, \$10.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 bear, 2 turkeys a season; 12 quail a day or in possession; 10 ducks a day or in possession; 2 brant or geese a day or in possession; 15 in all of Wilson's snipe and coots a day or in possession; 15 white-winged doves, 15 mourning doves a day. One male deer, 2 wild turkeys, or 1 day's bag limit of other game lawfully taken may be possessed for 20 days after close of

season, but migratory game birds lawfully taken may be possessed for only 10 days after close of season. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Nonresident licensee may ship 1 day's bag limit of game a week under permit attached to license, and may procure additional license for additional shipment.

### ARKANSAS

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with horns plainly visible above skull), bear, turkey grouse (gobbler also Apr. 1-Apr. 30)	Nov. 12-Nov. 17, Dec. 20-Jan. 1.
Squirrel	May 15-June 15, Oct. 1-Jan. 1.
Pheasant, prairie chicken	Dec. 1-Dec. 15.
Quail or partridge (bobwhite)	Dec. 1-Jan. 31.
Dove	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules (other than coot)	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15; resident, \$1.10. For dog in hunting, \$1.50. Guide, \$10. Special local licenses required in Chico and Desha Counties. For information communicate with county clerks.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer, 2 turkeys, a season; 8 squirrels, 3 pheasants, 3 prairie chickens, 12 quail, a day or in possession; 20 doves, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 4 woodcock, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coot, 15 in all of rails and gallinules a day. Two days' limit of squirrels and quail may be possessed at one time except while in the field hunting or returning from a hunt of 1 day's duration. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all game prohibited; provided, a nonresident, under each of 3 tags attached to his license, may ship out 1 day's limit of game; and he may carry out at one time not more than 1 day's limit; specimen of game may be exported by any person under permit to be mounted, tanned, or made into wearing apparel.

### CALIFORNIA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Male deer (except spike bucks):	
In districts 1, 1½, 4½, 23, and 25	Sept. 16-Oct. 15.
In district 1½	Sept. 1-Oct. 15.
In districts 2, 2½, and 3	Aug. 1-Sept. 14.
In districts 2½, 4, and 4½	Aug. 16-Sept. 15.
Bear (black, brown)	Nov. 16-Feb. 28.
Cottontail and brush rabbits (see exception)	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Exception: Rabbits in districts 4, 4½, 19, 21	No close season.
Quail (see exception)	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exception: In district 1½	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Dove (see exception)	Sept. 21-Sept. 30.
Exception: In districts 4, 4½, 4¾	Sept. 21-Oct. 31.
Pheasant (male)	Nov. 15-Nov. 20.
Band-tailed pigeon	Dec. 1-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$10; alien, \$25 (except those with first papers, \$10). Resident, \$2 (resident under 18, \$1). Deer-tag license, \$1. Commercial club: Citizen owner, \$25; alien owner,

<sup>1</sup> Data on game animals and upland game birds not received at time of going to press.

\$100; citizen operator, \$5; alien operator, \$25. Issued by commissioners and county clerks.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer a season (except in district 1½, 1 only); 15 rabbits a day, 30 a week; 10 mountain quail a day, 20 a week; 10 valley or desert quail a day, 20 a week; 15 Wilson's snipe a day, 50 a week; mourning doves, 15 a day, 30 a week; 10 band-tailed pigeons a day or in possession; 2 male pheasants a day or in possession; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 15 Wilson's snipe a day; 15 coots (mud hen) a day; 15 gallinules a day. One day's bag limit of game lawfully taken may be possessed for 5 days after close of season, except that deer meat may be retained for 15 days after close of season. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game and shipments of same by parcel post prohibited.

### COLORADO

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (with 2 or more prongs to each horn)	Oct. 12-Oct. 18.
Bear	No open season.
Bull elk, in Grand, Routt, Gunnison, Jefferson, Eagle, Gilpin, Boulder, Summit Counties, Garfield County north of Colorado River, and Pitkin County east of Roaring Fork River only	Oct. 12-Oct. 18.
Rabbit, hare	No close season.
Prairie chicken	Sept. 15-Oct. 1.
Ringneck pheasant (male), in Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Jefferson, Larimer, Morgan, and Weld Counties only	Dec. 1-Dec. 5.
Mountain and willow grouse	Oct. 12-Oct. 21.
Sage chickens	Aug. 15-Aug. 20.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident—big game, \$25 small game, \$5. Resident—big game, \$5; small game and fish, \$2. Guide, \$5, in addition to hunting license. Issued by commissioner, county clerks, and other agents. Aliens not permitted to hunt.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer or 1 elk a season, coupon required; 2 pheasants a day, 3 in possession; 8 prairie chickens a day or in possession; 8 in the aggregate of mountain and willow grouse and sage chickens a day or in possession; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails, coots, and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Possession permitted during first 5 days of close season; but commissioner may issue permit (fee \$1) authorizing storage, possession, and use of game for 90 days after close of season and game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time (except possession of migratory game birds limited to 10 days after close of season).

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game is prohibited; provided, game in not exceeding the numbers allowed in possession may be exported under permit from game commissioner (fee, 25 cents for each bird) if permit be attached and packages plainly marked so as to show nature of contents, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds shall be exported in any 1 calendar week; edible portion of deer may be exported under \$5 permit from the commissioner. Importer must obtain from State game and fish commissioner a certificate, fee \$1, to import game.

### CONNECTICUT

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Hare, rabbit (except European, Belgian, or German hare and jack rabbit, no close season)	Nov. 2-Dec. 31.

Open seasons—Continued.		Dates inclusive
Gray squirrel	Quail, partridge, or ruffed grouse, Mongolian, Chinese, or English pheasant (male)	Oct. 20-Nov. 23.
Woodcock	Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Oct. 20-Nov. 23. Oct. 21-Nov. 20.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot		Oct. 21-Nov. 19. Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$10.35; resident, \$3.35. Combination hunting and fishing, nonresident, \$14.35; resident, \$5.35. Issued by city, town, or borough clerk. Aliens not permitted to hunt.

**Bag and possession limits:** 3 hares or rabbits a day, 30 a season; 5 squirrels a day, 30 a season; 2 ruffed grouse, 2 pheasant a day, 15 each a season; quail, 3 a day, 10 a season; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 4 woodcock a day; 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules a day. Possession of more than the daily bag limit of game prima facie evidence of violation. Resident may possess for his own use, but not for sale, during first 10 days of close season, game lawfully taken.

Game taken outside of State and lawfully exported may be possessed at any time, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a licensee under permit may export game lawfully killed and possessed and tagged to show name, address, and license number of shipper, if not for sale; but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in 1 calendar week. To import game, importer must obtain permit from superintendent of fisheries and game.

#### DELAWARE

Open seasons:		Dates inclusive
Rabbit, hare, quail, partridge	Squirrel (gray)	Nov. 15-Dec. 31. Sept. 15-Nov. 1.
Squirrel (fox, black)	Dove	Nov. 15-Dec. 31. Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Oct. 15-Nov. 14. Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot		Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15.50; 5-day license, \$5.50. Resident, game and fish, \$1.25. Issued by wardens and justices of the peace.

**Bag and possession limits:** 6 in all of rabbits, hares, and squirrels a day; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 4 woodcock, 12 coots, 12 sora, 12 in all of other rails and gallinules a day, and not more than 12 birds of any other species a day. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Upland birds may be possessed during first 5 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Licensee may carry or ship openly, within or out of State, not more than 10 rabbits, 10 squirrels, and 20 birds of other species a week, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of other migratory game birds may be shipped or carried out in any 1 calendar week.

**Miscellaneous:** Unlawful to hunt game animals or birds when snow is on the ground.

#### FLORIDA

Open seasons: <sup>3</sup>		Dates inclusive
Deer (male only) (see exceptions)	Exceptions: In Nassau County (Friday and Saturday only)	Nov. 20-Dec. 31. June 15-Aug. 15.
In Osceola County	In Taylor County (Tuesday and Saturday only)	Nov. 20-Feb. 1. Aug. 1-Dec. 31.

Open seasons—Continued.		Dates inclusive
Bear (see exception)	Exception: In Volusia County	No close season. Nov. 20-Dec. 31.
Squirrel, quail, wild turkey (see exceptions)	Exceptions: Quail in Osceola County	Nov. 20-Feb. 15. Nov. 20-Feb. 1.
Turkey in Walton County		No open season. (Sept. 21-Sept. 30.)
Mourning dove	Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Nov. 20-Jan. 31. Nov. 20-Dec. 19. <sup>4</sup>
Rails and gallinules, other than coot		Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$25.50; 10-day continuous license, \$10.50; nonresident owner of 3,000 acres (county) \$10.50. Resident, State, \$5.50; county of residence, \$1.25; county other than county of residence, \$3.25. Guide (required for hunting parties), \$10.50. Issued by county judges.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a day, 2 a season; 15 squirrels a day, 200 a season; 2 turkeys a day, 5 a season; 15 quail a day, 200 a season; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 coot, 15 Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules a day. Game lawfully taken may be possessed during the open season and for 5 days thereafter. Possession limited to 2 days' bag (except in the case of migratory game birds 1 day's bag) at one time.

**Interstate transportation:** Licensee may transport as personal baggage 2 days' limit of game lawfully taken, except only 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be transported in 1 calendar week.

#### GEORGIA

Open seasons:		Dates inclusive
Deer (males only) (see exception)	Exception: In Catoosa, Chattooga, Dade, Dawson, Fannin, Gilmer, Gordon, Habersham, Lumpkin, Murray, Pickens, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union, Walker, White, Whitfield, Bartow, Floyd, Marion, Schley, Webster, Chattahoochee, Muscogee, and Stewart Counties	Nov. 15-Jan. 5. No open season.
Bear	Rabbit	Nov. 20-Feb. 1. No close season.
Cat squirrel	Raccoon	Oct. 1-Jan. 15. Nov. 20-Feb. 1.
Opossum	Quail, wild turkey	Oct. 1-Feb. 1. Nov. 20-Mar. 1.
Doves	Woodcock	Sept. 21-Oct. 20. (Nov. 20-Jan. 31.)
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)	Rails and gallinules, except coot	Nov. 20-Dec. 19. Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$25 (State); \$10 (county of issue). Resident, State, \$3.25; county, \$1 (good only in county of residence). Issued by commissioner, county warden, or county ordinary.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer, 2 turkeys, a season; 15 squirrels a day; 20 quail a day, 40 a week, 40 in possession; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 4 woodcock, 18 doves, 25 coots, 25

<sup>3</sup> Local restrictions apply as follows: *Citrus County*, open season Dec. 1-Feb. 1, but unlawful to hunt, kill, or possess game on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday. *Marion County*, open season Nov. 20-Dec. 31, but unlawful to hunt or kill game on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday.

<sup>4</sup> Waterfowl and jacksnipe may be taken on Lakes Iamonia and Jackson on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday only, and on Lake Miccosukee in Jefferson and Leon Counties on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday only.



sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, a day. Migratory game birds lawfully taken may be possessed first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit of such birds may be possessed at any one time. Special permit required to possess other game birds and game animals during close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee may take out in personal possession game lawfully killed, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported and possessed under a permit in like manner as game taken in State. Permits issued by game and fish commissioner.

## HAWAII

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (except on Molokai Island, no close season).....	Apr. 1-Oct. 31.
Quail (except bobwhite):	
In Maui County.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
In Hawaii County.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 31.
In Kauai County, and city and county of Honolulu.....	No open season.
Pheasant (male):	
In Maui, Kauai, and Honolulu Counties.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
In Hawaii County.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 31.
Wild dove, wild pigeon:	
In Honolulu County.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 31.
In Hawaii County.....	July 1-Jan. 31.
In Maui and Kauai Counties.....	July 1-Dec. 31.

**Hunting licenses:** County licenses—Nonresident citizens or declarant alien: Game, \$10. Resident citizen: Game, \$5. Alien: \$25. Hunting licenses issued by county treasurer.

**Bag and possession limits:** *Hawaii County:* Cock pheasants, 5 a day, 25 a season; quail, 15 a day, 30 in 7 consecutive days; doves and pigeons, 20 a day, 50 in 7 consecutive days. *Honolulu County:* Pheasants, 3 a day; doves and pigeons, 20 a day. *Kauai County:* Cock pheasants, 3 a day; doves and pigeons, 15 a day. *Maui County:* Cock pheasants, 5 a day, 10 in 7 consecutive days; quail, 10 a day, 25 in 7 consecutive days; doves and pigeons, 15 a day, 45 in 7 consecutive days.

## IDAHO

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Elk, in Clark, Clearwater, and Idaho Counties.....	Oct. 5-Nov. 10.
In Fremont, Jefferson, Madison, and Teton Counties.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 1.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Deer, in Ada, Blaine, Boise, Butte, Clark, Custer, Elmore, Fremont, Gem, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison, Owyhee, Teton, and Valley Counties, and in Idaho County east of Main Salmon and south of Little Salmon.....	Oct. 5-Nov. 5.
In Clearwater, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties, and remainder of Idaho County.....	Oct. 5-Nov. 10.
In Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Kootenai, Latah, and Shoshone Counties.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
In Bannock, Bear Lake, Caribou, Franklin, and Oneida Counties.....	Oct. 20-Oct. 30.
In Adams and Washington Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Mountain sheep (ram) in Valley, Idaho, and Lemhi Counties only (under special license).....	Oct. 15-Oct. 31.
Mountain goat, in Adams, Blaine, Boise, Butte, Custer, Elmore, Lemhi, Valley, Idaho, and Clearwater Counties.....	Oct. 15-Oct. 31.

\* Hunting prohibited in city and county of Honolulu, except on Saturdays, Sundays, and Territorial legal holidays.

## Open seasons—Continued.

	Dates inclusive
Bear (see exception).....	No close season.
Exception: In Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Clearwater, Kootenai, Latah, Lewis, Nez Perce, and Shoshone Counties.....	Sept. 1-May 31.
Ruffed grouse (native pheasant), blue grouse, in Adams, Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Camas, Caribou, Cassia, Clark, Elmore, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Jefferson, Jerome, Lemhi, Lincoln, Madison, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Power, Teton, Twin Falls, Valley, and Washington Counties.....	Aug. 10-Aug. 25.
In Clearwater, Idaho, Nez Perce, Lewis, and Latah Counties (Wednesdays, Fridays, Sundays, and legal holidays only).....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
In Benewah, Bonner, Boundary, Kootenai, and Shoshone Counties.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 15.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Sharp-tailed grouse, in Bannock, Bear Lake, Blaine, Boise, Camas, Caribou, Cassia, Elmore, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Jerome, Lincoln, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Power, Twin Falls, and Valley Counties only.....	Aug. 10-Aug. 25.
Hungarian partridge, in Benewah, Bonner, and Kootenai Counties.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 15.
In Clearwater, Idaho, Latah, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties (Wednesdays, Fridays, Sundays, and legal holidays only).....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
In Ada, Adams, Boise, Gem, Payette, and Washington Counties.....	Aug. 10-Aug. 25. Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Sage hens, in Bannock, Bear Lake, Bingham, Blaine, Boise, Bonneville, Butte, Camas, Caribou, Cassia, Clark, Custer, Elmore, Franklin, Fremont, Gem, Gooding, Jefferson, Jerome, Lemhi, Lincoln, Madison, Minidoka, Oneida, Owyhee, Power, Teton, Twin Falls, and Valley Counties.....	Aug. 10-Aug. 25.
Mountain, valley, and bobwhite quail, in Ada, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Lemhi, Payette, Washington, and Twin Falls Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Mountain quail, in Clearwater, Idaho, Lewis, Latah, and Nez Perce Counties (Sundays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and legal holidays only).....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
Valley and bobwhite quail, in Clearwater, Idaho, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties (Wednesdays, Fridays, Sundays, and legal holidays only).....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
Pheasant (Chinese, ringneck, mutant, and Mongolian), in Ada, Adams, Blaine, Canyon, Cassia, Elmore, Gem, Gooding, Jerome, Lincoln, Minidoka, Owyhee, Payette, Twin Falls, and Washington Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
In Bannock, Bingham, Bonneville, Franklin, Jefferson, Lemhi, Madison Counties and Power County north and west of Snake River.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 10.

**Open seasons—Continued.**

Pheasant—Continued.  
In Clearwater, Idaho, Latah, Lewis, and Nez Perce Counties (Sundays, Wednesdays, Fridays, and legal holidays only).....

*Dates inclusive*

Nov. 1-Nov. 30.

In Bonner, Boundary, Benewah, Custer, Kootenai, and Shoshone Counties (Wednesdays and Sundays only).....

Nov. 1-Nov. 15.  
Oct. 15-Dec. 15.

Doves.....  
Duck (except wood ducks, ruddy ducks, and buffhead ducks), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).  
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....

Oct. 21-Nov. 19.  
Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, game and fish, \$50; bird only, \$10. Alien, game and fish, \$75; gun license, \$5. Resident \$2. Special license required for mountain sheep—nonresident, \$25; resident, \$10. Issued by warden, deputy, or authorized agent. Hunting license not required of veteran of Civil War, Spanish-American War, or residents over 70 years of age; children under 12 not permitted to hunt with firearms.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 elk, 1 mountain goat, 1 mountain sheep, 1 bear a season; 6 quail, 4 pheasants, 8 Hungarian partridge, 4 sage hens, native pheasant, or grouse, a day or in possession; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day or in possession; 20 doves, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 rails and gallinules (other than sora), a day. Under affidavit and storage permit, migratory game birds may be retained in possession 10 days after close of season; other game may be possessed 5 days after close of season but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, provided a hunter may export under hunting-license coupon, big game lawfully taken, and 1 day's limit of game birds may be transported in personal possession but may not be shipped or mailed. Big game once shipped within State may be exported under a 50-cent permit obtained from game warden or deputy. Mounted heads and stuffed birds legally obtained may be exported under a reshipping permit. Shipment of game by parcel post prohibited.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State, if identification tags or shipping or possession permits are attached.

**ILLINOIS**

**Open seasons:**<sup>6</sup>

Rabbit, north zone.....	Nov. 10-Jan. 31.
Central zone.....	Nov. 20-Jan. 31.
South zone.....	Nov. 25-Jan. 31.
Squirrel, north zone.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 1.
Central zone.....	Aug. 1-Dec. 1.
South zone.....	July 15-Dec. 1.
Bobwhite quail, north zone.....	Nov. 10-Dec. 10.
Central zone.....	Nov. 20-Dec. 20.
South zone.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 25.
Introduced pheasant (cocks), north zone.....	Nov. 10-Nov. 15.
Central zone.....	Nov. 20-Nov. 25.
South zone.....	Nov. 25-Nov. 30.
Doves.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe). Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19. Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

<sup>6</sup> North zone comprises Henderson, Warren, Knox, Peoria, Woodford, Livingston, and Kankakee Counties, and all counties north thereof. South zone comprises Madison, Bond, Fayette, Effingham, Jasper, and Crawford Counties, and all counties south thereof. Central zone comprises rest of the State.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15.50; resident, \$1. Issued by village, county, or city clerk. Hunting club, \$10; issued by department of conservation.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 squirrels, 15 rabbits, 12 quail, 2 cock pheasants, 15 doves, 15 snipe, 15 coots, 15 rails, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day. Limit, in possession, 20 squirrels, 36 quail, 6 cock pheasants, and not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game (except rabbit) prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee may take from State 50 game birds or animals, if carried openly for inspection, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week. Resident may carry out game under his license.

Deer lawfully killed and shipped may be brought or shipped into State, and rabbits may be imported November 10 to February 5.

**INDIANA**

**Open seasons:**

*Dates inclusive*

Rabbit.....	Nov. 10-Jan. 10.
Squirrel, in northern area.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 30.
Central area.....	Aug. 1-Sept. 29.
Southern area.....	July 1-Aug. 29.
Quail, Hungarian partridge.....	Nov. 10-Dec. 20.
Prairie chicken.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 1.
Pheasant (male only).....	Nov. 10-Nov. 14.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 14.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe). Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19. Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15.50; resident, \$1. Issued by circuit clerks, superintendent of fisheries and game and his agents.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 rabbits, 5 squirrels (no limit on red squirrels), 15 quail, 5 prairie chickens, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day; 15 Wilson's snipe, 4 woodcock, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds, may be possessed at one time. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Deer, turkeys, and rabbits taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time; other game legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of quail, prairie chicken, pheasant, and migratory game birds prohibited, except any licensee may export 15 game birds in the aggregate of all kinds, lawfully taken by himself, each day he hunts in State, but not more than daily limit of any one species in any 1 calendar week, if carried openly for inspection together with his license or if the package is tagged or clearly labeled with names and addresses of shipper and consignee and an accurate statement of number and kind of birds.

**IOWA**

**Open seasons:**<sup>8</sup>

*Dates inclusive*

Squirrel.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 1.
Rabbit.....	Sept. 15-Jan. 15.
Woodcock.....	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, \$15; resident, 16 years of age and over, \$2; resident under 16, \$1; combined hunting and fishing, \$2.50. Issued by county recorder and authorized agents.

<sup>7</sup> Northern area includes Newton, Jasper, Pulaski, Fulton, Kosciusko, Whitley, and Allen Counties, and all counties north thereof. Southern area includes Vigo, Clay, Owen, Morgan, Johnson, Shelby, Rush, Fayette, and Union Counties and all counties south thereof. Central area comprises rest of State.

<sup>8</sup> Communicate with State Fish and Game Commission for seasons on pheasants and quail.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 squirrels, 15 rabbits a day; 2 days' limit, but not more than 30 in the aggregate, in possession. Ten ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day; 15 Wilson's snipe, 30 in the aggregate of game birds in possession, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds, and 15 each of other species in possession at one time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during the open season and for 10 days immediately thereafter.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident may take from State 15 game birds and animals lawfully killed, if open to inspection, and hunting license be shown on request, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

#### KANSAS

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Quail.....	Nov. 20-Nov. 30.
Prairie chicken (2 days).....	Oct. 22-23.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$7; resident, \$1. Issued by county clerk.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 quail a day, 25 a season; 5 prairie chickens a day, 10 a season; 15 in all of ducks, Wilson's snipe, coots, and gallinules a day, but not more than 10 ducks, 4 in all of geese and brant, 6 rails, a day. Possession of 2 days' limit of 2 kinds of game permitted during first 5 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game birds prohibited, except that a person under hunting license and affidavit of lawful killing and possession may ship to himself not more than 2 days' limit of 2 kinds of game taken by himself but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds in 1 calendar week.

**Miscellaneous:** Unlawful to shoot game birds while they are on the ground or water, unless wounded.

#### KENTUCKY

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Rabbit.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Squirrel.....	Aug. 1-Nov. 30.
Quail.....	Nov. 24-Jan. 9.
Deer, wild turkey, ruffed grouse (native pheasant), introduced pheasant.....	No open season.
Dove.....	Sept. 21-Dec. 15. <sup>9</sup>
Woodcock.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, \$10.50; resident, \$1. Issued by county clerk.

**Bag and possession limits:** 12 squirrels a day, 24 in possession; 12 quail a day, 24 in possession, 75 a season; 15 doves a day, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant; 4 woodcock; 15 Wilson's snipe, and 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, but not more than 15 of any one species of rails and gallinules a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of deer, elk, and all game birds prohibited, except that a hunter may transport game lawfully killed and possessed by him, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

<sup>9</sup> State law prohibits the shooting of doves before 12 o'clock noon.

#### LOUISIANA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male).....	Nov. 1-Jan. 15.
Bear.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 1.
Rabbit, hare.....	Oct. 1-Mar. 1.
Squirrel.....	Sept. 15-Jan. 15.
Quail.....	Nov. 1-Feb. 15.
Wild turkey.....	No open season.
Woodcock.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Dove.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 5.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, \$15; nonresident 4-day license, \$5. Resident, \$1. Club or association, \$5. Issued by tax collectors.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 bear a day, 5 each a season; 10 squirrels and chipmunks combined a day, 120 a season; 15 quail a day, 120 a season; 18 doves a day, 300 a season; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 15 coot, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, but not more than 15 of any one species of rails, other than sora, and gallinules, a day; 4 woodcock a day, 22 a season. Game in excess of 1 day's limit must be tagged, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Possession of game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except migratory game birds as above stated.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided a nonresident licensee may carry with him out of the State under his license and tag 2 days' limit of game birds (1 day's limit of migratory game birds) if not for sale. All game and all packages containing game must be tagged to show kind and number, names of consignor and consignee, initial point of billing, and destination.

#### MAINE

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, in Androscooggin, Cumberland, Kennebec, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, and Waldo Counties.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
In York County.....	Nov. 10-Nov. 30.
In Arrostook, Penobscot, Somerset, Piscataquis, Franklin, and Oxford Counties.....	Oct. 16-Nov. 30.
In Hancock and Washington Counties.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 15.
Moose.....	Nov. 28-Nov. 30.
Bear.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
Hare, rabbit (see exception).....	Oct. 1-Feb. 28.
Exception: In Franklin County.....	Oct. 1-Mar. 31.
Gray squirrel.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
Ruffed grouse or partridge.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 15.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.

Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe)..... Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

Rails and gallinules, other than coot..... Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, big game, \$15.15; nonresident special moose license, \$25.25; small game, \$5.15. Resident, hunting and fishing, \$2.15; hunting, \$1.15. Issued by city, town, and plantation clerks. Guide license: Nonresident, \$20; resident, \$1. Sporting camp, \$5. Shipping license (within State): resident, deer, \$2; 1 pair of game birds in 7 days, 50 cents; issued by commissioner.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 bull moose a season; 4 rabbits, 4 gray squirrels a day; 4 ruffed grouse a day, 25 a season; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 coot, 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), 4 woodcock, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one

time. Deer may not be possessed in lumber camps, and must be transported open to view, tagged and labeled with name and address of, and accompanied by, owner. Possession of migratory game birds limited to first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a citizen of the State, under transportation tag (fee, \$5) may take with him out of State game birds lawfully killed by himself. A nonresident licensee may take out, open to view, hares lawfully taken by himself, 1 deer, 1 moose, 4 partridges, 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds, under hunting-license tags, when such tags bear written approval of a warden, deputy, or the commissioner. Nonresident licensee may also ship out 1 pair of game birds a month under a special 50-cent license.

Moose or caribou, or parts thereof, taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported under license of commissioner for consumption or mounting, but not for sale. Deer and moose properly tagged where taken and game birds may be imported under permit of commissioner and possessed in like manner as game killed in State. Permits and shipping tags issued by commissioner of inland fisheries and game.

# MARYLAND

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with 2 or more points to one antler), in Allegany County.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 10.
In Garrett County.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 5.
In Washington County, in game reserves enclosed with 7-foot fence.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 15.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Rabbit or hare, quail (partridge), ruffed grouse, wild turkey, and English or ring-necked, Mongolian, and black pheasant (males only).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Squirrel (see exception).....	{ Sept. 15-Oct. 15. Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exception: In Garrett County	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
Raccoon, opossum.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Dove.....	{ Sept. 21-Sept. 30. Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Woodcock.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 31.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15.50 (\$5.50 for State license if applicant owns real estate in Maryland assessed at \$500; \$1.50 for county license in county where such real estate is located). Nonresident, 5-day license, \$5.50; resident: State, \$5.25; county, \$1.25. Issued by circuit-court clerks (in Baltimore City by clerk of court of common pleas). Booby, brush, or stake blind, \$5.50 (not issued except to resident of State, or nonresident owner of land bordering on Potomac River, or nonresident owner of land bordering on any waters of the State and assessed at \$500; pushers, \$2.50. Issued by circuit-court clerks.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 1 turkey a day, 4 a season; 2 English or Mongolian pheasants, 2 ruffed grouse a day, 6 a season; 6 rabbits or hares, 10 squirrels, 10 quail (partridge), 4 woodcock, 20 doves, 15 jacksnipe, 15 coots, 15 in all of rails and gallinules (except sora), 25 sora a day; 10 ducks, and 4 geese including brant, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game (except waterfowl) prohibited; provided, a licensed hunter may take out under his license as personal baggage a quantity equal to 2 days' bag limit of game; provided further, no person may take or ship out more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory

game birds in any 1 calendar week. Water fowl must be shipped open to view and tagged.

# MASSACHUSETTS

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (see exception).....	Dec. 2-Dec. 7.
Exception: In Barnstable County.....	No open season.
Hare, rabbit (see exceptions).....	Oct. 20-Feb. 15.
Exception: In Nantucket County.....	Nov. 20-Feb. 29.
In Dukes County.....	Nov. 15-Feb. 15.
Gray squirrel, quail, male pheasant, ruffed grouse (see exceptions).....	Oct. 20-Nov. 20.
Exceptions: Quail, in Berkshire, Essex, Franklin, Hampden, Hampshire, and Nantucket Counties.....	No open season.
Pheasant, in Dukes County.....	No open season.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 20.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident citizen: Sporting, \$15.25; hunting, \$10.25. Nonresident who owns real estate in State assessed at not less than \$1,000 or is a member of a hunting club assessed at not less than \$1,000 for each member, same fee as resident. Resident citizen: Sporting, \$3.25; hunting, \$2. License issued free to resident citizen over 70 years of age. Permanent gunning stand or blind, \$2.75. Issued by director of fisheries and game, department of conservation, city and town clerks.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 2 hares, 5 rabbits, a day or in possession; 5 gray squirrels a day, 15 a season; 4 quail a day, 20 a season; 2 pheasants a day, 6 a season; 3 ruffed grouse a day, 15 a season; 4 woodcock, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, but not more than 15 of any one species of rails and gallinules (other than sora and coot) a day. A resident may possess for his own use during the close season game legally taken by himself, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during the open season and first 10 days of close season. Nor more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed for personal use.

**Interstate transportation:** A nonresident under his license may take out fish and game lawfully taken if carried open to view. A resident may export all game lawfully killed, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

# MICHIGAN

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male with horns not less than 3 inches above skull), in Upper Peninsula, and in Alcona, Alpena, Antrim, Arenac, Bay, Cheboygan, Crawford, Charlevoix (except Beaver Island), Emmet, Gladwin, Iosco, Kalaska, Midland, Montmorency, Ogemaw, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle, and Roscommon Counties.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Beaver.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
Rabbit, varying hare, in Upper Peninsula.....	Oct. 1-Jan. 31.
In Lower Peninsula north of north line of Township 16.....	Oct. 15-Jan. 31.
In rest of Lower Peninsula....	Oct. 15-Jan. 1.

Open seasons—Continued.		Dates inclusive
Fox squirrel, in Upper Peninsula.....		Oct. 1—Oct. 10.
In Lower Peninsula.....		Oct. 15—Oct. 24.
Ringneck pheasant, ruffed grouse, sharp-tailed grouse, prairie chicken, in Lower Peninsula (see exception).....		Oct. 15—Oct. 27.
Exception: Sharp-tailed grouse, prairie chicken, south of north line of Township 16.....		No open season.
Ruffed grouse, sharp-tailed grouse, prairie chicken, in Upper Peninsula.....		Oct. 1—Oct. 12.
Woodcock.....		Oct. 1—Oct. 31.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....		Oct. 21—Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....		Sept. 1—Nov. 30.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident—deer and bear, \$25; small game, \$5. Resident—deer and bear, \$2.25; small game, \$1. Issued by county clerks, director of conservation, or deputy. Camping party (1 deer for use of party of 4 or more), \$3; issued by director of conservation.		
<b>Bag and possession limits:</b> 1 deer, 1 bear a season; 5 fox squirrels a day, 10 in possession, 15 a season; 5 rabbits a day, 5 in possession in Upper Peninsula, 10 in possession in Lower Peninsula, 50 a season; 5 each of ruffed grouse and prairie chickens a day, 25 each a season or in possession; 2 ringneck pheasants a day, 6 a season or in possession; 10 ducks a day or in possession, 100 a season; 4 geese, including brant, a day or in possession, 8 a season; 4 woodcock a day or in possession, 16 a season; 10 Wilson's snipe a day, 15 in possession, 50 a season; 10 coots a day, 15 in possession, 50 a season; 10 rails and gallinules a day, 15 in possession, 50 a season. Deer and bear lawfully killed may be possessed first 60 days of close season; game birds and other animals during first 10 days of close season.		
Game taken outside of State and lawfully exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.		
<b>Interstate transportation:</b> Export prohibited of all protected game. <i>Exceptions:</i> (1) Deer and bear may be transported outside of State to reach a point within State. (2) Nonresident licensee may take out as hand baggage, open to view, possession limit of game birds, rabbits, and squirrels, and may ship 1 deer and 1 bear lawfully killed by himself when deer license tag and seal are attached. (3) Heads and skins of deer and bear, green or mounted, lawfully taken, may be exported under permit.		

## MINNESOTA

Open seasons: <sup>10</sup>		Dates inclusive
Deer (season closed in odd, open in even years).....		Nov. 15—Nov. 25.
Bear, even years.....		Nov. 15—Nov. 25.
Odd years.....		Apr. 15—May 15.
Varying hare or snowshoe rabbit.....		No close season.
Squirrel (gray or fox).....		Oct. 15—Jan. 1.
Chinese ringneck or English pheasants (males only):		
In Houston, Fillmore, Mower, Freeborn, Winona, Olmsted, Dodge, Steele, Waseca, Wabasha, Kanabec, Pine, Carlton, Aitkin, Crow Wing, Cass, Hubbard, Clearwater, Becker, Mahanomen, Polk, Norman, Clay, and Red Lake Counties.....		Oct. 19—Oct. 27.
In Wilkin, Faribault, Martin, Jackson, Nobles, Rock, Pipestone, Murray, Cottonwood, Watonwan, Blue Earth, Goodhue, Rice, Le		

<sup>10</sup> Seasons subject to change by regulation. All hunting prohibited within 3 miles of corporate limits of Duluth, Minneapolis, and St. Paul.

Open seasons—Continued.		Dates inclusive
Chinese ringneck or English pheasants (males only)—Con. Sueur, Nicollet, Brown, Redwood, Lyon, Lincoln, Yellow Medicine, Renville, Sibley, Scott, Dakota, Washington, Hennepin, Carver, McLeod, Wright, Meeker, Kandiyohi, Chipewewa, Lac qui Parle, Big Stone, Swift, Traverse, Stevens, Pope, Stearns, Sherburne, Anoka, Chisago, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Benton, Morrison, Todd, Douglas, Grant, Ottertail, and Wadena Counties.....		Oct. 19—Oct. 27. Nov. 9—Nov. 19. No open season.
In rest of State.....		
Prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), in Kittson, Roseau, Lake of the Woods, Koochiching, St. Louis, Marshall, Pennington, Kanabec, Pine, Carlton, Aitkin, Lake, Beltrami, and Itasca Counties only.....		Sept. 21—Sept. 29.
Quail, in Sherburne, Wright, Carver, Sibley, Scott, Dakota, Olmsted, Winona, Wabasha, Rice, Le Sueur, McLeod, and Houston Counties only.....		Oct. 28—Nov. 19.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), rails, and gallinules.....		Oct. 21—Nov. 19.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident or alien, big game, \$50.25; small game, \$25. Resident, big game, \$2.25; small game, \$1. Issued by commissioner, county auditors, and agents.		
<b>Bag and possession limits:</b> 1 deer a season; 7 squirrels a day, 14 in possession; 3 pheasants a day, 6 in possession; 5 in aggregate of prairie chicken and white-breasted grouse a day, 10 in possession; 6 quail a day, 12 in possession; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, and 10 in aggregate of other migratory game birds, a day. But not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Possession permitted during first 5 days of close season. Under permit and tag, deer may be possessed until February 23, and migratory game birds may be possessed for 10 days after close of season, but no game birds may be possessed later than January 10. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.		
<b>Interstate transportation:</b> Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may ship home in open season under his license coupons 1 deer and 25 birds lawfully taken by himself, but not more than the possession limit of any one species a season; not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be exported by one licensee in 1 calendar week. Deer hides for tanning and heads for mounting may be exported when tagged with license coupons (deer season closed in odd years).		
MISSISSIPPI		Dates inclusive
<b>Open seasons:</b>		No open season.
Deer (male) (see exceptions).....		
Exceptions: In Bolivar, Sunflower, Leflore, Tallahatchie, Quitman, Panola, Tunica, Yazoo, Humphreys, Grenada, Warren, Adams, Wilkinson, Jackson, George, Greene, and Wayne Counties.....		Nov. 20—Jan. 1.
In Washington County, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays only.....		Nov. 20—Jan. 1.
In Sharkey and Issaquena Counties.....		Nov. 20—Jan. 31.
In Jefferson and Claiborne Counties.....		Dec. 1—Jan. 15.

**Open seasons—Continued.**

	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Raccoon, rabbit.....	Nov. 20-Jan. 31.
Opossum.....	Oct. 1-Jan. 31.
Squirrel.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
Fox (see exceptions).....	No close season.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Kemper, Jefferson Davis, Copiah, Covington, Lauderdale, Neshoba, Newton, Pike, Simpson, and Smith Counties.....	
In Amite, Franklin, and Wilkinson Counties.....	Sept. 1-Feb. 28.
Bear.....	Oct. 1-Feb. 28.
Quail.....	No open season.
Pheasant.....	Dec. 10-Feb. 20.
Wild turkey (gobbler) (see exception).....	No open season.
<i>Exception:</i> In Alcorn, Benton, Calhoun, Carroll, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Clay, Coahoma, DeSoto, Grenada, Itawamba, Lafayette, Lee, Leflore, Lowndes, Marshall, Monroe, Montgomery, Oktibbeha, Panola, Pontotoc, Prentiss, Quitman, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tippah, Tishomingo, Tunica, Union, Webster, and Yalobusha Counties.....	Apr. 1-Apr. 20.
Woodcock.....	
Mourning doves.....	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	(Sept. 21-Oct. 5.)
<i>Hunting licenses:</i> Nonresident, \$25.25 (State); \$10.25 (county). Resident, \$3.25 (State); \$1.25 (county). Issued by game and fish commission, sheriffs, and wardens.	(Nov. 20-Jan. 31.)

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 male deer, 1 wild turkey gobbler a season; 10 rabbits a day; 8 squirrels a day, 24 in possession; 12 quail a day; 10 ducks, 4 geese (including brant), 15 Wilson's snipe, 4 woodcock, 20 doves, 15 coots, 25 sora, 15 of other rails (except sora) and gallinules a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except rabbits and the skins of raccoons and opossums may be exported November 20 to January 31. Nonresident licensee may ship or carry out of State during open season 1 buck deer, 20 rabbits, 16 squirrels, raccoons, and opossums in possession, 30 quail, 1 turkey gobbler, and, in 1 calendar week, not to exceed 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds. Packages must have attached an affidavit that game was lawfully killed, is being shipped to licensee's home, and is not for sale.

**MISSOURI**

<b>Open seasons:</b>	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Deer (male, with 4 or more points to 1 antler), 3 days only.....	Oct. 24-Oct. 26.
Squirrel.....	June 1-Nov. 30.
Wild turkey.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Quail (bobwhite) (see exception).....	Nov. 10-Dec. 31.
<i>Exception:</i> In De Kalb, Franklin, Harrison, Lafayette, Moniteau, Scotland, and St. Clair Counties.....	
Dove.....	No open season.
Woodcock.....	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 10-Dec. 10.
Rails and gallinules.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
<i>Hunting licenses:</i> Nonresident or alien, \$10; issued by commissioner or county clerk. Resident—State, \$2.50; county, \$1 (county of residence	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

or adjoining county). Issued by county clerk or license collector. Special deer tag required in addition to hunting license—resident, \$1.50, nonresident, \$50.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 turkey a season; 10 squirrels, 10 quail, 10 doves, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 4 woodcock, 15 Wilson's snipe, a day; 15 rails, 15 coot, a day. One turkey, 15 quail, 15 doves, and 25 of any other species of game birds, in possession, but not more than 1 day's limit of other migratory game birds in possession at one time. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season, other game during first 5 days, but tagged carcass of deer may be possessed until February 5.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that not more than 2 days' limit of game (1 day's limit of migratory game birds, except only 15 doves), may be exported under resident or nonresident license if carried openly as baggage or express or in owner's possession and accompanied by him.

**MONTANA**

<b>Open seasons:</b>	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Deer (male, with horns not less than 4 inches long).....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Elk.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Mountain goat, in parts of Ravalli and Flathead Counties only.....	Sept. 20-Oct. 20.
Bear (unlawful to trap).....	Oct. 14-May 15.
Grouse (sharp-tailed, blue, ruffed, fool hen), prairie chicken, sage hen.....	Sept. 22-Sept. 25.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Resident—class A, game birds and fishing, \$2; class AA, game animals, \$1 (issued only to holder of class A license); class AAA ("sportsman's license"), general hunting and fishing, \$5. Nonresident—class B-1, game birds, \$10; class B-2, general hunting, \$30. Alien—class C-1, game birds, \$30; class C-2, game animals, \$50. Guide (resident citizen only), \$10. Issued by warden, deputies, justices of the peace, and agents. Alien not holding class C-2 license must obtain from warden license to own or possess firearms (fee, \$25).

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 elk, 1 mountain goat, a season; 5 in all of grouse, partridges, fool hens, pheasants, and sage hens a day or in possession, but not more than 3 grouse; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, 15 in all of other rails and gallinules a day. Migratory game birds may be possessed during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, game lawfully killed may be exported by a resident under shipping permit (fee, 50 cents) from State warden; a nonresident may export under his license, game he has lawfully taken; total shipments under permits or one license may not exceed season's bag limit and not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any one calendar week; packages must be labeled to show contents.

**NEBRASKA**

<b>Open seasons:</b>	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Squirrel.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
Rabbit.....	No close season.

<sup>11</sup> Game, forestation, and parks commission, upon written request from any county board, may open season on pheasants, prairie chickens, and grouse in such county for 15 days or less between Sept. 18 and Dec. 31.

**Open seasons—Continued.****Dates inclusive**

Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21–Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules (except coot).....	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$10.10; resident, \$1.10. Issued by game, forestation, and parks commission and authorized vendors.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 squirrels a day or in possession; 5 pheasants a day or in possession; 10 ducks and coot combined a day, but not more than 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 15 Wilson's snipe a day or in possession; 15 in all of rails and gallinules a day, or in possession. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of ducks may be possessed at one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season and first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Game may be transported by express or baggage during the open season when tagged as required by commission, and shipper's statement that the game is not for sale or profit, and was not taken contrary to law, is furnished commission and a copy attached to shipment; package must be labeled with consignor's license number and kind of game, consigned to shipper, and accompanied by him; shipment must not contain more than 40 game birds or the possession bag limit on any species. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

**NEVADA**

<b>Open seasons:</b> <sup>12</sup>	<b>Dates inclusive</b>
Deer (male), (see exceptions).....	Oct. 6–Nov. 4.
Exceptions: In Nye and White Pine Counties.....	Oct. 6–Oct. 20.
In Humboldt, Lincoln, and Clark Counties.....	Oct. 13–Nov. 11.
Bear, squirrel.....	No close season.
Rabbit, hare (see exception).....	Nov. 3–Dec. 31.
Exception: In Churchill and White Pine Counties.....	No open season.
Valley and mountain quail, pheasant, grouse.....	No open season.
Dove (see exceptions).....	Sept. 1–Dec. 15.
Exceptions: In Churchill County.....	Sept. 1–Sept. 10.
In White Pine County.....	Sept. 1–Sept. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21–Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident citizen and declarant alien, \$10; alien, \$25; resident citizen, \$2.50. Deer tags (\$1) required of holders of licenses to hunt deer. Issued by county clerks and wardens.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 5 rabbits, 2 hares, 10 ducks a day; 4 geese, including brant, 10 Wilson's snipe, 15 doves, 15 coot, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules a day. Possession limited to 1 day's bag limit at one time. One day's limit of game lawfully taken may be possessed, under permit, during first 60 days of close season, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during first 10 days of close season. Deer lawfully taken in another State may be personally brought into State by the taker during close season, and game taken outside of State and lawfully exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except 1 day's limit may be exported under permits, if not for sale.

<sup>12</sup> Fish and game commission fixes open seasons on deer and upland game birds, and county commissioners may shorten or close seasons entirely on all game.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE**

<b>Open seasons:</b>	<b>Dates inclusive</b>
Deer (see exception).....	Dec. 1–Dec. 16.
Exception: In Coos and Grant Counties.....	Nov. 1–Dec. 1.
Squirrel.....	Oct. 1–Nov. 1.
Hare, rabbit.....	Oct. 1–Feb. 1.
Ruffed grouse (partridge).....	Oct. 1–Dec. 1.
Male pheasant (see exception).....	Nov. 1–Nov. 11.
Exception: In Coos and Grant Counties.....	No open season.
Quail.....	No open season.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 1–Oct. 31.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21–Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, game and fish, \$15.15; resident, game and fish, \$2. Guide—nonresident, \$20; resident, \$1. Issued by commissioner or his agent, who, with few exceptions, is the town clerk.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 3 hares, 5 rabbits, but not more than 5 in all, a day; 5 gray squirrels, 4 ruffed grouse a day, 25 a season; 2 pheasants a day, 6 a season; 4 woodcock a day; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coot, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Deer may be possessed for a reasonable time after close of season. Migratory game birds may be possessed during first 10 days of close season. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, provided, head, hide, feet, or fur of game quadrupeds, and plumage or skins of game birds (except migratory birds) legally taken and possessed may be transported in State without being marked, but under Federal laws all interstate shipments must be marked as to contents. Nonresident may take or ship out of State, under his hunting license, 1 day's limit of game birds, and under license coupon, one deer. Shipments by common carrier must have attached tag showing number and kind of game, names of consignor and consignee, and point of shipment and destination, and shipment or transportation of game must be endorsed on back of shipper's license. Carcass of deer shipped by nonresident must have license coupon attached.

**NEW JERSEY**

<b>Open seasons:</b>	<b>Dates inclusive</b>
Deer (male, with horns not less than 3 inches long).....	Dec. 17–Dec. 21.
Raccoon (may not be hunted during deer season).....	Nov. 1–Dec. 31.
Rabbit, gray and black squirrels, quail, ruffed grouse (partridge), prairie chicken, English or ringnecked pheasant cocks (see exception).....	Nov. 10–Dec. 15.
Exception: Quail in Bergen, Essex, Hudson, Hunterdon, Morris, Passaic, Somerset, Sussex, Union, and Warren Counties (1938).....	No open season.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 15–Nov. 14.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20–Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident and alien, \$10.50; resident, hunting and fishing, \$3.10; resident, hunting only, \$2.10. Issued by county, city, and town clerks, salaried wardens, and registrars of licenses.

Special license to hunt woodcock between October 15 and November 9 (fee \$2) required in addition to regular hunting license; issued by commission. Alien prohibited from hunting or owning shotgun or rifle unless he is owner of real property in State valued at \$2,000, or over above encumbrances, in which case he may obtain nonresident and alien license.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 15 raccoons a season; 2 pheasant cocks a day, 30 a season; 6 rabbits, 6 squirrels, 10 quail, 3 ruffed grouse, 4 woodcock, 15 snipe, 25 sora, 15 coots, and 15 of other rails and gallinules other than sora, a day; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Carcass of deer from another State or from State game preserve may be possessed at any time if properly tagged; possession of other game permitted during first 10 days of close season. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game (except deer) prohibited, except that a non-resident licensee in 1 day may carry from State the daily bag limit of game, if open to view, but not more than 2 days' limit of game may be exported in 1 calendar week except only 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be exported in 1 calendar week.

### NEW MEXICO

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with horns at least 6 inches long), elk (with 3 or more points to each antler), squirrel, wild turkey.....	Oct. 25-Nov. 15.
Doe deer <sup>13</sup> .....	Nov. 20-Nov. 24.
Bear.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 10.
Quail (except bobwhite).....	Nov. 10-Dec. 10.
Ringneck pheasant.....	Oct. 20-Oct. 21.
Dusky or blue grouse.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 10.
Doves.....	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Band-tailed pigeon.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident—general hunting and fishing, \$35.25; general hunting, \$30.25; big game, \$25.25; bird, \$10.25. Resident—general hunting and fishing, \$5; general hunting, \$4.50; big game, \$3; bird, \$2.50. Guide, \$5.25. Duplicate license, \$1. Issued by county clerks and designated deputy game wardens. Alien not permitted to hunt or own or possess shotgun or rifle in State.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer (1 doe under special permit), 1 bear, 5 squirrels, 2 wild turkeys, 3 male pheasants, 5 grouse, a season or in possession; 12 quail a day or in possession; 15 doves, 10 band-tailed pigeons, 10 ducks, 4 geese including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coot, 25 sora, and 15 rails and gallinules other than coot, a day or in possession.

Game other than migratory game birds may be possessed for 15 days after close of season without permit, but permit required for possession for longer period. Migratory game birds may be possessed only during the open season and for 10 days thereafter.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported, when accompanied by proof of lawful possession, may be retained under permit for first 30 days of close season, but migratory game birds may be retained only during first 10 days.

**Interstate transportation:** Licensee may carry out of State during open season game legally killed, but permits issued by State game warden and

license collectors are required to ship game out by common carrier: Fee, \$1.25 for 1 deer, 1 bear, and 2 turkeys, and 50 cents for bag limit of other birds and fish. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be transported in 1 calendar week.

### NEW YORK

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (with horns not less than 3 inches long), in Adirondack <sup>14</sup> region.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
In Ulster, Sullivan, Rensselaer, Delaware, Columbia, Orange, Schoharie, Dutchess, and Greene Counties.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 15.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Bear (see exception).....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Exception: In Clinton, Delaware, Essex, Franklin, Greene, and Ulster Counties.....	Oct. 15-Dec. 31.
Varying hare (see exception).....	Oct. 28-Dec. 31.
Exception: In Allegany, Cattaraugus, Chenango, Erie, Madison, Yates, Wyoming, Livingston, Niagara, Tompkins, and Chemung Counties.....	No open season.
Rabbit (see exceptions).....	Oct. 28-Jan. 31.
Exceptions: In Wayne, Orleans, Livingston, Schuyler, and Tompkins Counties.....	Oct. 28-Mar. 31.
In Niagara and Wyoming Counties.....	Oct. 28-Dec. 31.
In Rockland County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 15.
In Erie County.....	Oct. 28-Jan. 1.
Squirrel (black, gray) (see exception).....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Exception: In Genesee, Niagara, Orleans, and Yates Counties.....	No open season.
Quail, in Putnam and Westchester Counties only.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 15.
Grouse or partridge.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Pheasant (male only).....	Oct. 28-Nov. 9.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 14.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), rails, and gallinules.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident (combined hunting, fishing, and trapping), \$10.50; resident, \$2.25. Special deer license—Nonresident or alien, \$10.50; resident, \$1.25. Issued by county, city, and town clerks where population exceeds 5,000; elsewhere, by department of conservation inspectors and protectors. Indian resident or member of Six Nations residing on any reservation wholly or partly in State, \$2.25. Guide (required in forest reserve counties), \$2; issued by conservation department. Alien not permitted to hunt except under special license from conservation department, or to own or possess shotgun or rifle.

**Bag limits:** 1 deer, 1 bear, a season; 4 quail a day, 10 a season; 3 grouse or partridges a day, 15 a season; 2 male pheasants a day, 6 a season; 4 woodcock, 6 varying hares or rabbits, 5 squirrels a day; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 rails and gallinules, 5 coots, 25 sora, 15 Wilson's snipe, or jacksnipe a day.

**Possession:** Deer, bear, squirrel, grouse, and pheasant may be possessed during open season and 5 days thereafter; migratory game birds during open season and 10 days thereafter, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Deer and bear properly tagged may be possessed under permit (fee \$1) until February 1. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported during the open

<sup>13</sup> Doe deer may be taken under special permit (fee \$2) during open season, in a designated restricted area. State game warden may issue 150 special permits (fee \$5 each) to holders of big game hunting licenses, to take 1 buck antelope in a restricted area and 100 permits for elk in a designated area, under special permit (fee \$10).

<sup>14</sup> The Adirondack region comprises the counties of Clinton, Essex, Franklin, Fulton, Hamilton, Herkimer, Jefferson, Lewis, Oneida, Oswego, Saratoga, St. Lawrence, Warren, and Washington.



season and possessed in like manner as game taken in State, except migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and for 10 days thereafter. Permit (fee \$1) from conservation department required for importation of game during close season, and then game birds must be accompanied by the taker, but quadrupeds bearing State tags may be shipped by common carrier but not by parcel post. Game, other than migratory game birds, imported under permit may be possessed at any time by permit holder for private consumption.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of game and birds prohibited except that any person may export 1 deer, 1 bear, and 1 day's limit of other game in 1 day during open season by means other than parcel post. The taker may export in 1 day by common carrier, except parcel post, 1 day's limit when accompanied by permit, which shall show contents of package. Head, hide, and feet of animals and plumage or skin of game birds legally taken may be exported at any time.

### NEW YORK—Long Island

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Squirrel (black, gray), varying hare, rabbit, quail, pheasant (male), grouse.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Woodcock.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 14.
Waterfowl (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buff-head duck, Ross's and snow geese) rail, gallinule, coot, mud hen, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Bag and possession limits:** 6 quail a day, 40 a season; 4 male pheasants a day, 30 a season. For other bag limits, see New York.

**Hunting licenses, and interstate transportation,** see New York.

### NORTH CAROLINA

Open seasons: <sup>14</sup>	Dates inclusive
Deer (male) (see exception)....	Oct. 1-Jan. 1.
Exception: In Alleghany, McDowell, Surry, Wilkes, Yadkin, and Yancey Counties.....	No open season.
Bear.....	Oct. 1-Jan. 1.
Rabbit.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 15.
Squirrel <sup>15</sup> (see exceptions)....	Oct. 1-Jan. 15.
Exceptions: In Western Counties <sup>16</sup> .....	Sept. 15-Dec. 15.
In Anson County.....	Aug. 10-Sept. 10.
.....	Nov. 26-Jan. 31.
In Chatham County.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
.....	Nov. 26-Jan. 31.
Raccoon, opossum.....	Oct. 1-Feb. 1.
Quail.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 15.
Wild turkey (see exception)....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Exception: In Alleghany, Surry, Wilkes, and Yadkin Counties.....	No open season.
Ruffed grouse (pheasant).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 15.
Mourning dove.....	Sept. 21-Jan. 5.
Woodcock.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, buff-head duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien: Game, \$10.10. Nonresident owning land in State may obtain license to hunt thereon, fee, \$5.25. Resident (State license): Game, \$2.10. County licenses: Game, 60 cents. Hunting guide license, \$5. Issued by superior court clerks, wardens, and deputies.

<sup>14</sup> Local laws apply to many counties, information concerning which may be obtained from the department of conservation and development at Raleigh.

<sup>15</sup> "Western counties" comprise Alleghany, Ashe, Watauga, Avery, Mitchell, Yancey, Buncombe, and Henderson and all counties west thereof.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer a day or in possession at one time, 4 a season; 2 wild turkeys a day or in possession at one time, 5 a season; 10 squirrels, 10 quail, 4 woodcock, 20 doves, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), 15 coots, 25 sora, 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day.

The game allowed in possession at one time is restricted to 1 day's limit on deer and wild turkeys, and migratory game birds, and 2 days' limit on other game.

Rabbits and squirrels lawfully taken may be possessed during open season and first 5 days of close season. Other game animals and birds may be possessed during open season and first 10 days of close season.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game (except rabbits during open season) prohibited, except that a nonresident licensee, under permit from State warden, may export not more than 2 male deer and 2 wild turkeys a season and not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds and 2 days' limit of other game a calendar week, in any manner except by parcel post, if outside of package in which such game is transported, is clearly marked with names and addresses of consignor and consignee and an accurate statement of number and kind of game contained therein.

### NORTH DAKOTA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (antlered), in Williams, Mountrail, McLean, Burleigh, Emmons, Cavalier, Pembina, Mercer, Oliver, Morton, and Sioux Counties, McKenzie County north of township 149, and Bottineau and Rolette Counties east of range 77 and north of township 161 (season opens at noon)....	Dec. 12-Dec. 15.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Grouse, Hungarian partridge, Chinese ringneck pheasant (see exceptions) (season opens at noon).....	Oct. 12-Oct. 20.
Exceptions: Ruffed grouse (season opens at sunrise)....	Oct. 18-Oct. 20.
Grouse, Hungarian partridge, in Barnes, Cass, Richland, Ransom, Sargent, Lamoure, Dickey, Logan, McIntosh, and Emmons Counties, and in Stutsman County south of main line of Northern Pacific Railway.....	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buff-head duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, big game, \$50; hunting, \$25. Resident, big game, \$5; hunting, \$1.50. Issued by game and fish commissioner, deputy, or county auditor. Alien not permitted to hunt.

**Bag and possession limits:** Prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), sharp-tailed (white-breasted) grouse, ruffed grouse, cock pheasant, 5 in the aggregate, a day, but the number of each species comprising the aggregate of 5 varies in certain counties; 10 ducks, 4 geese including brant, 12 coots, and 10 jacksnipe, a day. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Upland game birds may be possessed 30 days, migratory game birds 10 days, and deer 90 days after close of season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that resident licensee

may, under special permit, ship to any point within or without State, other than his own home, 10 protected game birds a season; but not more than 4 wild geese, including brant, may be shipped in any one calendar week. Nonresident licensee may carry with him from State under license tag 2 days' limit of game, if open to view and labeled with his name and address and number of his license. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week.

OHIO	
Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 15-Jan. 1.
Squirrel	Oct. 1-Oct. 15.
Introduced pheasant (male),	
Hungarian partridge	Nov. 15-Nov. 25.
Woodcock	Oct. 15-Nov. 14.
Duck (except wood duck,	
ruddy duck and buffle-	
head duck), goose (except	
Ross's goose), brant, coot,	
Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than	
coot.	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident citizen, \$15.25; resident citizen, \$1.25. Issued by county and township clerks and other authorized agents.

**Bag and possession limits:** 4 squirrels and 5 rabbits a day or in possession; 2 cock pheasants a day, 4 in possession; and 4 Hungarian partridges, 15 Wilson's snipe, 4 woodcock, 4 geese including brant, 10 ducks, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules a day. Waterfowl, coots, and gallinules may be possessed during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Woodcock and jacksnipe may be possessed only during open season.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export prohibited of all protected game (except rabbit) taken in State; provided, a nonresident may take with him from State under his hunting license 25 game animals killed by himself. Packages containing game or furbearing animals or parts thereof must be marked to show contents, initial point of billing, and names and addresses of consignor and consignee.

# OKLAHOMA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Squirrel	May 15-Dec. 31.
Quail <sup>17</sup>	Nov. 20-Jan. 1.
Dove	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Woodcock	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck,	
ruddy duck, and buffle-	
head duck), goose (except	
Ross's goose), brant, coot,	
Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than	
coot.	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$15. Nonresidents in States bordering on Red River may procure special license (fee, \$2.50) to hunt migratory waterfowl on Red River within borders of Oklahoma. Alien, \$25. Resident citizen, \$1.25. Issued by warden, deputy, or county clerk.

**Bag and possession limits:** 10 squirrels a day, 10 quail a day, 80 a season; 10 ducks a day, 50 a season; 4 geese, including brant, a day, 12 a season; 15 Wilson's snipe a day, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, 20 doves, and 4 woodcock a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Possession of game permitted during first 10 days of close season, and trophies or specimens of game lawfully taken may be possessed at any time.

<sup>17</sup> Quail may not be hunted except on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday of each week during open season and on Thanksgiving Day and on Christmas and New Year's Days or the preceding Saturdays if these fall on Sundays.

Game taken outside of State and lawfully exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export prohibited of all protected game, but nonresident licensee may carry to his home 2 days' bag limit of game birds (1 day's limit of migratory game birds) if license permit is attached.

# OREGON

Open seasons: <sup>18</sup>	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with forked horns)-	Sept. 22-Oct. 25.
Bull elk, in parts of Umatilla,	
Baker, Union, Grant, and	
Wallowa Counties only	Nov. 10-Nov. 19.
Bear, in Jackson, Josephine, and	
Klamath Counties	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
In rest of state	No close season.
Silver-gray squirrel (see excep-	
tion)	No open season.
Exception: In Clackamas,	
Marion, Yamhill, Wash-	
ington, Benton, Folk, Linn,	
and Lane Counties	Aug. 15-Nov. 1.
Quail (see exception)	Oct. 13-Oct. 31.
Exception: In Wasco, Sher-	
man, Gilliam, Morrow,	
Umatilla, Deschutes,	
Crook, and Lake Counties.	No open season.
Blue or sooty grouse, ruffed	
grouse or native pheasant,	
in Clatsop, Columbia,	
Tillamook, Washington,	
Multnomah, Clackamas,	
Yamhill, Lincoln, Folk,	
Marion, Linn, Benton,	
Lane, Douglas, Coos, Cur-	
ry, Josephine, and Jackson	
Counties	Oct. 13-Oct. 31.
In Union, Sherman, Gilliam,	
Morrow, Umatilla, Wheel-	
er, Jefferson, Deschutes,	
Crook, Klamath, Harney,	
and Malheur Counties, and	
sooty or blue grouse only	
in Grant County	Sept. 20-Oct. 25.
In Baker and Wallowa	
Counties	Aug. 20-Sept. 20.
Hungarian partridge, in Baker,	
Morrow, Sherman, Uma-	
tilla, Union, Wasco, and	
Wallowa Counties	Oct. 13-Oct. 31.
In Malheur County	Oct. 13-Nov. 3.
In rest of State	No open season.
Chinese pheasant (see excep-	
tions)	Oct. 13-Oct. 31.
Exception: In Malheur	
County	Oct. 13-Nov. 3.
In Klamath County	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
In Harney County (4	
days)	Oct. 20, 23, 27, 30.
In Curry, Lake, Lincoln,	
Jefferson, Tillamook, and	
Wheeler Counties	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck,	
ruddy duck, and buffle-	
head duck), goose (except	
Ross's goose), brant, coot,	
Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).	Oct. 21-Nov. 19. <sup>18</sup>
Rails and gallinules, other than	
coot.	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresidents, \$15. Alien, gun license, \$25 (in addition to hunting license). Resident, game and fish, \$5; game, \$3. Hunting license (fee \$1.50, issued to residents between 14 and

<sup>18</sup> Unlawful to kill geese or other wild birds or animals at any time on islands or sand bars or within one-fourth mile of high-water line on Columbia River east of eastern entrance of Celilo Canal in Wasco County, and extending easterly along Columbia River to Oregon-Washington boundary in Umatilla County, or on islands and sand bars in Deschutes and John Day Rivers from Columbia River to point half a mile south of Oregon Trail highway bridges where the highway crosses said rivers, respectively.

18 years of age), authorizes hunting in county of residence and adjoining counties. Issued by county clerks and authorized agents. Guide, \$3 (issued only to citizens of United States).

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 black-tailed or 1 white-tailed or mule deer a season; 1 bull elk a season; 5 silver-gray squirrels in 7 consecutive days; 10 quail in 7 consecutive days; 4 ruffed grouse (native pheasant) and 4 Chinese pheasants a day, 8 in 7 consecutive days, but a bag of 8 shall not include more than 1 Chinese pheasant hen; 4 Hungarian partridges a day, 8 in 7 consecutive days; 15 in all of Wilson's snipe, rails, coots, and gallinules a day, 20 in 7 consecutive days; 10 ducks a day, 20 in 7 consecutive days; 4 geese, including brant, a day, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported and possessed as authorized by permit and tag (fee 5 cents) from State game warden, but migratory game birds, properly tagged, whether taken within or without the State, may be possessed only during first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except when tagged with metal seal and accompanied by permit from State warden showing kind of game and names and addresses of consignor and consignee, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be transported within 1 calendar week.

### PENNSYLVANIA

#### Open seasons:

	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Deer (male, with 2 or more points to 1 antler).....	Dec. 2-Dec. 11.
Deer (antlerless), <sup>19</sup> in Warren, McKean, Potter, Tioga, Forest, Elk, Cameron, Clinton, Bradford, Sullivan, Lycoming, Clearfield, Centre, and Pike Counties only.	Dec. 12, 13 14. <sup>19</sup>
Bear.....	Dec. 5, 6, 7.
Raccoon (see exception).....	Oct. 15-Dec. 15.
<i>Exception:</i> In Adams, Bedford, Berks, Bucks, Carbon, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Delaware, Fayette, Franklin, Fulton, Greene, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lehigh, Montgomery, Philadelphia, Washington, and York Counties.....	
Hare, rabbit, black, gray, and fox squirrel.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Red or pine squirrel.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 30.
Wild turkey (see exception), quail, pheasant (except Reeves's pheasant), males only, ruffed grouse.....	Nov. 1-Aug. 15.
<i>Exception:</i> Wild turkey in Berks, Bradford, Bucks, Cameron, Carbon, Clearfield, Dauphin, Fayette, Jefferson, Lackawanna, Lebanon, Lehigh, Luzerne, Lycoming, Monroe, Northampton, Pike, Schuylkill, Tioga, Warren, Wayne, and Wyoming Counties.....	
Woodcock.....	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 15-Nov. 14.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident and alien (reciprocal), minimum, \$15. Resident, \$2. Issued by department of revenue or county treasurer. Taxidermist, \$25. Resident aliens not permitted to hunt, or to possess dogs or firearms.	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

<sup>19</sup> Killing of antlerless deer must be reported to game commission within 72 hours. Carcass may not be cut up or consumed at camp unless it be the home of hunter who killed it.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a day or season (6 to hunting party); 3 raccoons a day, 10 a season; 3 hares a day, 15 a season; 4 rabbits a day, 24 a season; 6 squirrels a day, 20 a season; 6 quail a day, 24 a season; 2 pheasants (except Reeves's pheasant) a day, 10 a season; 1 wild turkey a day or season; 2 ruffed grouse a day, 10 a season; 4 woodcock, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 coots, 15 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Game other than migratory game birds may be possessed during first 30 days of close season, migratory game birds first 10 days.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game taken in State prohibited; provided a non-resident licensee may take out with him on same conveyance 2 days' limit of game (1 day's limit of migratory game birds), legally taken. Small game must be accompanied by owner and if concealed must be tagged to show name and address of owner, county where killed, and number of each species in package. Large game may be shipped by express when plainly marked to show name and address of owner and county in which killed. Specimens and trophies of game legally taken may be shipped by parcel post or otherwise to a licensed taxidermist for mounting, if marked to show contents, but no such shipments may be made to points outside the State without a permit. Skins of raccoons may be shipped out of State by parcel post or otherwise if package is marked to show contents.

### RHODE ISLAND

#### Open seasons:

	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Gray squirrel, hare, rabbit.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Quail or bobwhite, ruffed grouse or partridge, cock pheasant.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Woodcock.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 20.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident, \$10.25. Alien, \$15.25. Resident, \$2.25. Issued by city and town clerks.	
<b>Bag and possession limits:</b> 2 ruffed grouse or partridges, 3 cock pheasants, 6 quail, 10 ducks, 4 geese including brant, 4 woodcock, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coot, 15 rails and gallinules a day. Migratory game birds may be possessed during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit of such birds may be possessed at any one time.	
Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be imported and possessed under permit from commissioners, except migratory game birds as above stated.	
<b>Interstate transportation:</b> Export of all game prohibited; provided, a nonresident licensee may take out under his license 10 wild ducks, 4 geese including brant, 4 woodcock, and 10 each of jacksnipe, coots, rails, and gallinules in 1 calendar year if carried open to view.	

### SOUTH CAROLINA

#### Open seasons:

	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Deer (male) (see exceptions).....	Aug. 15-Jan. 1.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Greenville, Pickens, and Oconee Counties (1 day only).....	
In Horry County.....	Jan. 1, 1936.
In Spartanburg and Newberry Counties.....	Sept. 1-Jan. 1.
In Bamberg, Chester, Edgefield, Lexington, Richland, and Saluda Counties, and within 2 miles of Salkehatchie River in Allendale County.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
	No open season.

**Open seasons—Continued**

	<i>Dates inclusive</i>
Bear.....	No close season.
Raccoon, opossum, rabbit, squirrel (see exceptions).....	Sept. 1-Mar. 1.
<i>Exceptions:</i> Raccoon, opossum, in Clarendon County.....	Oct. 1-Mar. 1.
Raccoon, opossum, in Marion County.....	Nov. 26-Mar. 1.
Raccoon, opossum, in Spartanburg and Newberry Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Rabbit, in Abbeville, Laurens and McCormick Counties.....	Nov. 26-Mar. 1.
Rabbit, in Spartanburg and Newberry Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Rabbit, in Hampton County.....	No close season.
Squirrel, in Cherokee and Richland Counties.....	Oct. 1-Mar. 1.
Squirrel, in Marion County.....	Nov. 26-Mar. 1.
Squirrel, in Spartanburg, Newberry, and York Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Wild turkey gobbler, partridge (quail) (see exceptions).....	Nov. 26-Mar. 1.
<i>Exceptions:</i> Turkey, in Greenville County (1 day only).....	Jan. 1, 1936.
Turkey, in Spartanburg and Newberry Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Quail, in Greenville, Chester, Lancaster, Fairfield, Oconee, Pickens, Spartanburg, Newberry, and York Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 1.
Quail, in Chesterfield, Edgefield, and Lexington Counties.....	Nov. 26-Feb. 15.
Blackbird.....	Nov. 26-Mar. 1.
Mourning dove.....	Sept. 21-Jan. 5.
Woodcock.....	Dec. 1-Dec. 31.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jack-snipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot (see exception).....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.
<i>Exception:</i> Rails, marsh hens, in Charleston County.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident, \$15.25. Resident, \$3.10 (State), \$1.10 (county of residence). Issued by county game warden and agents.	

**Bag and possession limits:** 5 deer, 20 wild turkeys, a season; 15 squirrels, 15 quail (partridge), 2 turkeys, 20 doves, 10 ducks, 4 geese including brant, 4 woodcock, 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all resident nonmigratory game taken in State prohibited, except that a landowner or licensee may export under shipping tag from chief game warden of State 1 day's bag limit of resident nonmigratory game a week, if not for sale. Unlawful for any transportation company to receive for shipment out of the State any deer or other resident nonmigratory game unless duly tagged. Under Federal regulations not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be taken or shipped out of the State in any 1 calendar week. All packages containing migratory birds must be marked to show actual contents and names and addresses of consignor and consignee. No game may be removed from the State for sale.

**SOUTH DAKOTA**

**Open seasons:**

*Dates inclusive*

Deer (male, with 2 or more points to 1 antler), in Meade, Lawrence, Pennington, Custer, and Fall River Counties only.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 20.
Elk.....	Nov. 1-Nov. 20.
Rabbit, squirrel.....	No close season.
Grouse, west of the Missouri River.....	Sept. 26-Sept. 29.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Male pheasant, east of Missouri River and in Gregory and Tripp Counties.....	{Oct. 21-Nov. 11. {Nov. 28-Dec. 12.
West of Missouri River (except in Gregory and Tripp Counties).....	Oct. 26, 27.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jack-snipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, big game, \$25; small game, \$25. Resident, big game, \$5; small game, \$1. Special license, small game, \$3 (authorizes shipment of 50 birds in State as specified in license). Issued by game and fish department and deputies, and county treasurers.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 elk, a year. Not more than 15 game birds may be taken in any one day, of which not more than 4 may be grouse, 5 may be pheasants. Four geese, including brant, and 10 ducks may be taken in 1 day, 15 coot a day or in possession; 15 jacksnipe, 15 rails, a day or in possession. Possession permitted for 5 days after close of season, but not more than 30 birds (2 days' limit of grouse and pheasant, and 1 day's limit of migratory game birds) may be possessed at one time. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, a nonresident may, under permit of the game and fish commission, export 1 deer lawfully killed, and not more than 5 upland nonmigratory birds under each of 5 of the coupons, and not more than 5 migratory game birds under each of 5 of the coupons attached to his nonresident license; but not more than 4 geese, including brant, may be exported by one person in any one calendar week, and if exported by common carrier or as personal baggage tags attached to hunting license must be affixed to each shipment.

**TENNESSEE**

**Open seasons:**

*Dates inclusive*

Deer (male), (see exceptions).....	Dec. 1-Dec. 10.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Cheatham and Polk Counties.....	Oct. 22-Oct. 31.
In Clay, Jackson, Lafayette, Lewis, and Wayne Counties.....	No open season.
Rabbit (see exceptions).....	Nov. 25-Jan. 31.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Sullivan County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 1.
In Hickman and Perry Counties.....	No close season.
Squirrel (see exceptions).....	June 1-Dec. 31.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Dyer County.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 15.
In Humphreys County.....	June 1-Dec. 15.
In Sullivan County.....	Aug. 25-Jan. 1.
In Williamson County.....	June 1-Dec. 31.
In Johnson County.....	July 1-Dec. 1.
In Cannon and Marshall Counties.....	No close season.

Open seasons—Continued.	Dates inclusive
Quail, wild turkey (see exceptions).....	Nov. 25-Jan. 31.
Exceptions: Quail, in Johnson and Washington Counties.....	Nov. 25-Feb. 1.
Quail, in Claiborne and Grainger Counties.....	Nov. 20-Dec. 15.
Quail, in Sullivan County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 1.
Turkey, in Lauderdale County.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
Turkey, in Jackson and Clay Counties.....	No open season.
Pheasant (see exception).....	No open season.
Exception: In Johnson and Washington Counties.....	Nov. 25-Feb. 1.
Dove (see exceptions).....	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Exceptions: In Claiborne County.....	Oct. 20-Dec. 10.
In Johnson and Washington Counties.....	Nov. 25-Dec. 15.
In Sullivan County.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and bufflehead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident, \$15 (may hunt on own land without license). Resident, State, \$2. Not required of residents in Bedford, Cannon, Coffee, De Kalb, Hickman, Humphreys, Lincoln (applies only to rabbits and squirrels), Macon, Moore, Rutherford, Smith, Stewart, Williamson, and Wilson Counties.	

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 3 wild turkeys, a season; 10 squirrels, 15 quail, and 15 of other game birds a day, but not more than 4 geese, including brant, 10 ducks, 20 doves, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time. Game taken outside of State and lawfully exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, but a nonresident licensee may take out of State, if carried openly, game birds legally killed by him, but not more than 1 day's limit of migratory game birds may be exported in 1 calendar week.

### TEXAS

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with pronged horn), bear (see exceptions).....	Nov. 16-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: Black-tailed deer (male), west of Pecos River.....	Nov. 16-Nov. 30.
Deer, in Anderson, Armstrong, Bastrop, Bowie, Briscoe, Brown, Burnet (north of Colorado River), Camp, Cass, Coleman, Cook, Coryell, Erath, Freestone, Galveston, Hamilton, Harrison, Haskell, Hemphill, Henderson, Hutchinson, Jasper, Jones, Kent, Lamar, Lampasas, Leon, Limestone, McCulloch, Marion, Montague, Montgomery, Morris, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Newton, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Potter, Randall, Red River, Roberts, Robertson, Sabine, San Augustine, Shackelford, Stephens, Taylor, Throckmorton, Titus, Upshur, and Wood Counties.....	No open season.
Squirrel (see exceptions).....	(May 1-July 31, Oct. 1-Dec. 31.)
Exceptions: In Angelina and Nacogdoches Counties.....	July 1-July 31, Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
In Cherokee and Jefferson Counties.....	June 1-July 31, Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
In Hardin and Liberty Counties.....	June 1-June 30, Nov. 16-Jan. 16.

Open seasons—Continued.	Dates inclusive
Squirrel—Continued.	
Exceptions—Continued.	
In Jasper, Newton, and Young Counties.....	Nov. 10-Jan. 10.
In Polk, Trinity, and Tyler Counties.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
In Sabine and San Augustine Counties.....	Nov. 1-Dec. 31.
In Brazos, Grimes, Leon, Madison, Robertson, and San Jacinto Counties.....	[Jan. 1-May 15, Aug. 1-Sept. 30.]
In Shelby County.....	No open season.
In Bandera, Bastrop, Blanco, Bosque, Brown, Burnet, Caldwell, Callahan, Coleman, Comal, Comanche, Cooke, Coryell, Dewitt, Dimmitt, Eastland, Edwards, Erath, Fayette, Gillespie, Goliad, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hamilton, Hays, Hill, Jackson, Karnes, Kendall, Kerr, Kimball, Lampasas, Lavaca, Lee, Llano, Mason, Medina, Menard, Mills, Montague, McCulloch, Palo Pinto, Parker, Real, San Saba, Schleicher, Stephens, Tarrant, Throckmorton, Travis, Uvalde, Victoria, Wharton, Williamson, Wilson, Wise, and Zavala Counties.....	No close season.
Quail (partridge), chachalaca (Mexican pheasant) (see exceptions).....	Dec. 1-Jan. 16.
Exceptions: Quail in Andrews, Borden, Coleman, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Hemphill, Karnes, Lipscomb, Martin, McCulloch, Midland, Shelby, Terry, Van Zandt, Wood, and Yoakum Counties.....	No open season.
Chachalaca, in Comal, Guadalupe, Gonzales, and Wilson Counties.....	No open season.
Prairie chicken (pinnated grouse) (see exception).....	Sept. 1-Sept. 4.
Exception: In Brazoria, Collinsworth, Donley, Gray, Hemphill, Lipscomb, Matagorda, and Wheeler Counties.....	No open season.
Wild turkey (gobblers) (see exceptions).....	Nov. 16-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Angelina, Brazos, Burleson, Cherokee, Grimes, Harris, Houston, Jasper, Lee, Madison, Newton, Polk, Sabine, San Augustine, San Jacinto, Trinity, Tyler, Walker, and Washington Counties.....	Mar. 1-Apr. 30.
In Anderson, Armstrong, Bastrop, Bowie, Briscoe, Brown, Burnet (north of Colorado River), Camp, Cass, Coleman, Comal, Cooke, Erath, Freestone, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hardin, Harrison, Haskell, Hemphill, Henderson, Hutchinson, Jones, Kent, Lamar, Lampasas, Leon, Liberty, Limestone, Marion, McCulloch, Montague, Montgomery, Morris, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Palo Pinto, Panola, Parker, Potter, Randall, Red River, Roberts, Robertson, Shackelford, Stephens, Taylor, Throckmorton, Titus, Upshur, Wilson, and Wood Counties.....	No open season.

Open seasons—Continued.	Dates inclusive
White-winged dove.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 31.
Mourning dove:	
North zone, <sup>20</sup> except in Bastrop, Brazos, Burleson, Fayette, Grimes, Lee, Limestone, Milam, Montgomery, Robertson, San Jacinto, Smith, Washington, and Wood Counties....	Sept. 21-Oct. 31.
South zone, <sup>20</sup> including also above counties.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 16.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien, \$25. Resident citizen, \$2 (not required in county of residence). Issued by commission, deputies, and county clerks. Boat (carrying hunters), \$2; club or shooting preserve, \$5. Issued by commission.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer (west of Pecos River, 1 blacktail); 1 bear; 3 turkey gobblers a season; 10 squirrels a day (6 in Wood County, 5 in Brazos, Grimes, Leon, Madison, Robertson, and San Jacinto Counties); 12 quail and chachalacas a day, 36 in 7 days, 36 of each in possession; 10 prairie chickens a day or season; 15 white-wings a day, 30 in 7 days; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 15 mourning doves, 15 coot, 15 jacksnipe, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at any one time. Possession of all game permitted during open season and 10 days immediately following. Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export prohibited of all game, except that nonresident licensee may ship game lawfully possessed to his home for own use under affidavit (fee, 25 cents) that it was lawfully killed and will not be bartered or sold; provided that not more than 1 day's limit of migratory birds may be exported in any 1 calendar week. Game may be shipped to taxidermist for mounting under affidavit that shipper killed the specimen and that it is not being preserved for sale.

## UTAH

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (males, with horns not less than 5 inches long) (see exception).....	Oct. 20-Oct. 30.
Exception: In Washington, Iron, Beaver, Millard, Piute, Sevier, and Sanpete Counties.....	Oct. 20-Nov. 4.
Elk, in Wasatch Game Preserve, Heaston, Timpanogos, Nebo, Salina Canyon, Manti, and Cedar Mountain areas only.....	Nov. 13-Nov. 22.
Bear, rabbit, hare.....	No close season.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident citizen—deer and bear, \$15; elk, \$50; small game and fish, \$10. Resident citizen—male, 12 to 16 years old, game and fish,

<sup>20</sup> North and south zones divided by line running approximately northeast from Rio Grande near Del Rio, following Southern Pacific Railroad to San Antonio; International & Great Northern Railroad to Austin; Houston & Texas Central Railroad to Brazos River; Brazos River to Beaumont Branch of Santa Fe Railway.; Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad to Cleveland, and Houston East & West Texas Railroad to Louisiana line.

\$1; over 16 years, \$3; game, \$2; female, 16 and over, game and fish, \$1; elk, \$10. Guide, \$5 (resident only). Issued by commissioner or deputy, and authorized agents. Alien not permitted to hunt or own firearms.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 male deer, 1 elk, a season; 25 in the aggregate of ducks, geese (including brant), coots, and Wilson's snipe a day, but not more than 10 ducks, 4 geese (including brant), 15 coots or 15 Wilson's snipe a day; 25 in the aggregate of rails and gallinules, but not more than 15 of any one species. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, but migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season and first 10 days of close season. Persons possessing game during close season must show lawful taking.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all game prohibited except under permit and regulations of commissioner.

## VERMONT

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (with horns not less than 3 inches long).....	Nov. 21-Nov. 30.
Hare, rabbit.....	Oct. 1-Feb. 28.
Gray squirrel, woodcock.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
Pheasant (9 days).....	Oct. 2, 5, 9, 12, 16, 19, 23, 26, 30.
Quail.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.
Ruffed grouse.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: Game, \$10.50; but residents of States or countries charging larger nonresident angling license fee must pay fee charged nonresidents in own State or country. Resident: Game and fish, \$1.50; game, \$1. Issued by town clerks. Citizen of United States who owns \$1,000 taxable property in Vermont pays same fees as resident. Alien resident who has not declared his intention pays same fees as nonresident; declarant resident for 6 months in State pays same fees as resident.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 4 ruffed grouse a day, 25 a season; 4 woodcock a day, 25 a season; 2 pheasants a day, 4 a season; 5 hares or rabbits a day or in possession; 4 gray squirrels a day or in possession; 4 quails a day, 10 ducks a day, 40 a season; 4 geese, including brant, a day; 10 Wilson's snipe a day; 15 coots a day.

Possession of migratory game birds permitted during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's limit may be possessed at any one time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed as authorized by permit obtained from fish and game commissioner, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export prohibited of all protected game, except hares and rabbits; provided, a nonresident licensee may export 1 deer under license coupon and 1 day's bag limit of game birds under permit, but must accompany shipment; resident may export (if not for sale) 1 day's bag limit of game birds under special permit from commissioner and 1 deer a season for sale, if it is tagged and license is presented to carrier for cancellation, but laws of State to which deer is shipped must be complied with. Packages containing game delivered to a common carrier for transportation must be tagged to show number and kind of such game therein, names of consignor and consignee, station from which shipped, destination, and number of license. License of shipper must be presented to agent of transportation company for indorsement thereon of quantity of game offered for transportation. Heads, hides, feet, and fur of quadrupeds and plumage and skins of game birds legally killed and possessed may be transported without tags if accompanied by owner.

## VIRGINIA

## Open seasons:

	Dates inclusive
Deer (with horns visible above hair) (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Nansemond and Norfolk Counties.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
In Accomac, Albemarle, Amherst, Arlington, Bedford, Campbell, Culpeper, Elizabeth City, Fairfax, Fauquier, Franklin, Greene, Henry, King George, Lancaster, Loudoun, Mathews, Madison, Nelson, Northampton, Northumberland, Orange, Patrick, Prince William, Princess Anne, Rappahannock, Richmond, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Warwick, Westmoreland, and York Counties, and west of Blue Ridge Mountains except in Alleghany, Bath, and Craig Counties.....	No open season.
In Craig County.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
In Alleghany and Bath Counties.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 20.
Elk (with horns visible above hair) 3 days.....	Dec. 2, 3, 4.
Black bear (adult) (see exception).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exception: In Nansemond and Norfolk Counties.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
Rabbit (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
Exceptions: In Accomac, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, Franklin, Loudoun, Northampton, Orange, Prince William, and Rappahannock Counties, and west of Blue Ridge Mountains.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
In Bedford County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 15.
In Buchanan County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
Squirrel (see exceptions).....	Sept. 1-Jan. 31.
Exceptions: In Albemarle, Amelia, Amherst, Arlington, Brunswick, Campbell, Charlotte, Culpeper, Cumberland, Dinwiddie, Elizabeth City, Essex, Fluvanna, Franklin, Goochland, Greene, Greensville, Halifax, Henry, King and Queen, King William, Lancaster, Lunenburg, Madison, Mathews, Mecklenburg, Middlesex, Nelson, Northumberland, Nottoway, Orange, Pittsylvania, Powhatan, Prince George, Richmond, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Surry, Warwick, Westmoreland, and York Counties.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30, Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
In Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Clarke, Dickenson, Floyd, Giles, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Page, Pulaski, Roanoke, Rockbridge, Russell, Scott, Smyth, Tazewell, Warren, Washington, Wise, and Wythe Counties.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 31.
In Alleghany County.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 10, Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
In Bedford County.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30, Nov. 15-Jan. 15.
In Appomattox, Buckingham, Caroline, Charles City, Chesterfield, Gloucester, Hanover, Henrico, James City, King George, Louisa, and New Kent Counties.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
In Bath and Highland Counties.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 10, Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
In Frederick County.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 15, Nov. 15-Dec. 31.

## Open seasons—Continued.

	Dates inclusive
Squirrel—Continued.	
Exceptions—Continued.	
In Accomac and Northampton Counties.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
In Augusta, Botetourt, Craig, Fairfax, Fauquier, Loudoun, Prince William, Rappahannock and Rockingham Counties.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30, Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
In Isle of Wight, Nansemond, Norfolk, and Princess Anne Counties.....	Oct. 1-Jan. 31.
In Shenandoah County.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 15, Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Wild turkey, bobwhite quail: East of Blue Ridge Mountains (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
Exceptions: In Accomac, Culpeper, Fairfax, Fauquier, Loudoun, Northampton, Prince William, and Rappahannock Counties.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
In Bedford County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 15.
Turkey, in Albemarle County.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
Turkey, in Essex, Lancaster, Northumberland, Richmond, and Westmoreland Counties.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Turkey, in Franklin, New Kent, Charles City, Patrick, and Henry Counties.....	No open season.
West of Blue Ridge Mountains (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: Quail, in Franklin County.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Turkey, in Bland, Buchanan, Carroll, Dickenson, Floyd, Giles, Grayson, Lee, Montgomery, Pulaski, Roanoke, Russell, Scott, Smyth, Tazewell, Washington, Wise, and Wythe Counties.....	No open season.
Turkey, in Alleghany County.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Turkey, in Bath and Highland Counties.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
Quail, in Alleghany, Bath, and Highland Counties.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Ruffed grouse (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Alleghany County.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
In Highland County.....	Nov. 15-Nov. 30.
East of Blue Ridge Mountains, except in Amherst, Bedford, Greene, Madison, and Nelson Counties.....	No open season.
In Bedford, Amherst, Nelson, Madison, and Greene Counties.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Ringneck pheasant (see exceptions).....	Nov. 15-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Augusta County (males).....	Nov. 15-Nov. 24.
In Charlotte County.....	Nov. 15-Jan. 31.
In Bedford, Northampton, and Fauquier Counties.....	No open season.
Mourning dove.....	Sept. 21-Dec. 15.
Woodcock.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose and snow geese), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident (combined hunting and fishing), seasonal \$15.50; 1 day only, except in Bland, Giles, and Tazewell Counties, \$5. Additional county certificates required for bull elk in Bland, Craig, Giles, Montgomery, and Pulaski Counties, fee \$1. Alien, hunting, \$15.50. Resident: Statewide, \$3; county, \$1. Licenses issued by clerks of circuit and corporation courts and

designated agents. Commissioned and enlisted personnel of Army, Navy, and Marine Corps stationed in Virginia, pay same fees for hunting as residents.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 elk a season; 1 deer a day, 2 a season (in Alleghany, Bath, and Highland Counties, 1 a season); 2 bears a day or season; 10 each of squirrels and rabbits a day, 150 of each a season; 2 turkeys a day, 4 a season (2 a season in Rockbridge County); 4 grouse a day, 16 a season; 15 quail a day, 150 a season; 4 ringneck pheasants a day, 20 a season (in Augusta County 2 a day, 4 a season); 20 doves a day, 250 a season; 4 woodcock a day, 25 a season; 10 ducks a day; 4 geese including brant a day, 50 a season; 15 Wilson's snipe a day, 250 a season; 25 sora a day, 500 a season; 15 coots a day, 250 a season; 15 rails and gallinules (other than sora) a day, 250 a season. Possession permitted during first 10 days of close season, but not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed in like manner as game taken in State.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game (except rabbits, squirrels, and bear) prohibited; provided, during open season any licensee may, under his hunting license, take with him out of State, or as baggage on same conveyance, open to view, and plainly labeled with his name and address, not more than 2 days' limit of game lawfully taken by him (1 day's limit of migratory game birds). Any licensee may ship from State during open season as a gift and not for sale (which fact must be stated on shipping tag) 1 day's bag limit in 1 calendar week, if open to view and plainly labeled with names and addresses of donor and donee and number and kind of each so shipped.

# WASHINGTON

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with branched horns) (see exception).....	Oct. 1-Nov. 20.
Exception: In Adams, Benton, Douglas, Franklin, Grant, Lincoln, and Whitman Counties.....	No open season.
Elk (see exception).....	No open season.
Exception: In Asotin, Columbia, Garfield, Kittitas, Walla Walla, and Yakima Counties (bulls only).....	Nov. 5-Nov. 15.
Bear (see exception).....	Oct. 1-Nov. 1.
Exception: In Adams, Benton, Douglas, Franklin, Grant, Lincoln, and Whitman Counties.....	No open season.
Rabbits.....	Oct. 1-Feb. 28.
Squirrels.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 31.
Blue grouse (native pheasant), ruffed grouse.....	Oct. 13, 16, 19, 20.
Chinese pheasant, Hungarian partridge, quail (see exception).....	Oct. 13, 16, 19, 20, 23, 27, 30, Nov. 2, 3, 6.
Exception: Hungarian partridge, in Asotin, Columbia, Garfield, and Walla Walla Counties.....	Nov. 6-Nov. 15.
Band-tailed pigeon.....	Oct. 16-Oct. 30.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19. <sup>21</sup>
Rails and gallinule, other than coot.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident citizen or declarant residing in State less than 6 months: State, \$25 (applicant from adjoining State pays same fee charged by his State to resident of Washington);	

<sup>21</sup> No open season on waterfowl on Columbia or Snake Rivers or within a quarter of a mile of their shores in Benton, Columbia, Douglas, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Kittitas, Walla Walla, Whitman, and Yakima Counties, and Klickitat County east of east line of sec. 17, T. 2 N.

game birds, \$15. Resident: State, \$7.50; county, \$1.50. Guide, \$10. Resident, special elk license (fee \$5), issued to holder of State or county license; nonresident, \$25, issued to holder of State license. Alien, hunting and fishing, \$25 (issued only to holder of permit to carry firearms). Licenses issued by county auditors.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 elk, 1 bear a season; 5 rabbits, 5 squirrels a day, 3 grouse a day or in possession; 3 Chinese or Mongolian pheasants a day, 6 in possession; 8 quails a day, 16 in possession; 5 Hungarian partridges a day, 10 in possession; a person desiring to possess more than 1 day's limit of upland game birds may do so by having each day's kill tagged that day by a game warden, and such tagged birds may be possessed during close season. Tagging fee, 10 cents for each bird, animal, or fish; 10 band-tailed pigeons a day or in possession; 4 geese, including brant, 10 ducks a day, 15 jacksnipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails (except sora) a day. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be possessed at one time.

Possession during close season permitted upon filing with commission description and number of each kind of game, which must be tagged or stamped by commission for identification, but migratory game birds may be possessed for only 10 days after close of open season.

Game taken outside of State when accompanied by affidavit of chief game official may be possessed at any time for noncommercial use, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that nonresident licensee may carry with him 1 day's limit of game birds upon attaching an affidavit that they were lawfully killed by himself and are not being exported for sale.

# WEST VIRGINIA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (male, with branched horns), in Pocahontas and Tucker Counties, and parts of Randolph, Preston, Greenbrier, and Webster Counties.....	Nov. 11-Nov. 16.
In rest of State.....	No open season.
Bear, rabbit, varying hare, raccoon (see exception).....	Nov. 11-Dec. 25.
Exception: Raccoon, in Pocahontas, Nicholas, Webster, Monongalia, Grant, Cabell, Wayne, Preston, Kanawha, Logan, and Raleigh Counties.....	No open season.
Opossum.....	Nov. 11-Jan. 31.
Squirrel.....	Sept. 16-Sept. 30.
Wild turkey, in Grant, Greenbrier, Hampshire, Hardy, Mineral, Morgan, Nicholas, Pendleton, Pocahontas, Randolph, Tucker, and Webster Counties only.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 25.
Ruffed grouse, quail.....	Nov. 11-Dec. 25.
Woodcock.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident, \$15; resident, State, \$3; county of residence and adjoining county, \$1. Issued by county clerk. Aliens not permitted to hunt or possess firearms.	

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer a season; 1 wild turkey a season; 6 rabbits a day, 40 a season; 2 varying hares a day, 10 a season; 5 squirrels a day; 30 a season; 8 quails a day, 48 a season; 3 ruffed grouse a day, 12 a season; 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, 4 woodcock a day; 15 Wilson's snipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 in all of other rails and gallinules, a day. Not more than 1 day's limit of migratory



game birds may be possessed at any one time. Possession of migratory birds permitted during first 10 days of close season; other game legally taken may be possessed at any time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during the open season where taken and first 10 days of close season.

**Interstate transportation:** Export prohibited of elk, deer, squirrels, quail, ruffed grouse (pheasant), wild turkeys, geese, brant, ducks, provided, a non-resident licensee may personally take with him out of the State, during any open season, 1 day's limit of game animals or birds lawfully taken by himself.

### WISCONSIN

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, moose, elk, bear.....	No open season.
Rabbit (see exceptions).....	Oct. 19-Jan. 15.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Brown, Calumet, Columbia, Dane, Dodge, Door, Fond du Lac, Green, Green Lake, Iowa, Jefferson, Kenosha, Kewaunee, Lafayette, Manitowoc, Marquette, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Racine, Rock, Shawano, Sheboygan, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, Waupaca, Waushara, and Winnebago Counties.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 1.
In Milwaukee County.....	No open season.
Snowshoe hares (see exceptions).....	Oct. 19-Jan. 15.
<i>Exceptions:</i> In Adams, Columbia, Crawford, Dane, Dodge, Grant, Green, Green Lake, Jefferson, Kenosha, LaCrosse, Lafayette, Milwaukee, Racine, Rock, St. Croix, Sauk, Trempealeau, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha Counties.....	No open season.
In Ashland, Barron, Bayfield, Burnett, Douglas, Florence, Forest, Iron, Langlade, Oconto, Oneida, Polk, Price, Rusk, Sawyer, Taylor, Vilas, and Washburn Counties.....	No close season.
Squirrels, gray and fox (see exception).....	No open season.
<i>Exception:</i> In Adams, Barron, Brown, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Clark, Columbia, Crawford, Dane, Door, Dunn, Eau Claire, Fond du Lac, Grant, Green, Green Lake, Iowa, Jackson, Jefferson, Juneau, Kenosha, Kewaunee, LaCrosse, Lafayette, Marathon, Marinette, Marquette, Monroe, Oconto, Outagamie, Pepin, Pierce, Polk, Portage, Richland, Rock, Rusk, St. Croix, Sauk, Shawano, Sheboygan, Taylor, Trempealeau, Vernon, Walworth, Washburn, Waupaca, Waushara, Winnebago, and Wood Counties.....	Oct. 19-Dec. 1.
Ruffed grouse (partridge), prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), sharp-tailed grouse, ring-neck, Mongolian, and mutant pheasant cocks, Hungarian partridge, and bobwhite quail (see exceptions).....	No open season.
<i>Exceptions:</i> Ruffed grouse, in Ashland, Buffalo, Calumet, Chippewa, Clark, Crawford, Dunn, Eau	

### Open seasons—Continued.

#### Ruffed grouse—Continued.

#### Exceptions—Continued.

Claire, Florence, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, Iron, Juneau, Kewaunee, LaCrosse, Langlade, Marathon, Marinette, Marquette, Monroe, Oconto, Oneida, Pepin, Pierce, Portage, Richland, St. Croix, Sauk, Shawano, Sheboygan, Taylor, Waupaca, Waushara, and Wood Counties.....

Dates inclusive

Oct. 19-Oct. 24.

Prairie chicken (pinnated grouse), sharp-tailed grouse, in Ashland, Barron, Bayfield, Brown, Buffalo, Burnett, Chippewa, Clark, Douglas, Dunn, Eau Claire, Florence, Green Lake, Iron, Kewaunee, Langlade, Lincoln, Marathon, Marinette, Marquette, Oconto, Oneida, Outagamie, Pepin, Polk, Portage, Price, Rusk, Sawyer, Shawano, Taylor, Vilas, Washburn, Waupaca, and Waushara Counties.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 24.

Ring-neck, Mongolian or mutant pheasant (cocks), in Burnett, Dunn, Eau Claire, Pierce, Polk, St. Croix, and Washburn Counties.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 26.

In Barron, Brown, Buffalo, Calumet, Columbia, Dane, Dodge, Douglas, Fond du Lac, Green, Green Lake, Iowa, Jefferson, Juneau, Kewaunee, Kenosha, LaCrosse, Lafayette (except in town of LaMont no open season), Manitowoc, Marquette, Outagamie, Ozaukee, Pepin, Racine, Richland, Rock, Rusk, Sauk, Sawyer, Sheboygan, Trempealeau, Walworth, Washington, Waukesha, Waupaca (except in towns of Dayton, Farmington, Lind, and Waupaca, no open season), Waushara, and Winnebago Counties.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 24.

Hungarian partridge, in Dane, Jefferson, Kenosha, Ozaukee, Racine, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 24.

Bobwhite quail, in Columbia, Crawford, Dane, Green Lake, Juneau, LaCrosse, Marathon, Marquette, Monroe, Richland, Sauk, Vernon, and Waushara Counties.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 24.

Wild turkey, Chukar partridge, spruce hen, valley partridge (valley quail), and mourning doves.....

No open season.

Woodcock.....

Oct. 19-Oct. 23.

Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck, and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), rails, and gallinules.....

Oct. 21-Nov. 19.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, all game, \$50; all game except deer, \$25; 3 shipping coupons, \$2 additional. Guide, \$1. Issued by conservation commission. Resident, \$1; issued by county clerks.

**Bag and possession limits:** 5 squirrels, 5 rabbits, 5 snowshoe hares a day, except no limit on snowshoe hares in certain counties; 4 each of ruffed grouse, prairie chickens, sharp-tailed grouse, Hungarian partridges, and bobwhite quail, a day, 8 of each in possession; 2 male pheasants a day, 4 in possession; 4 woodcocks, 10 ducks, 4 geese, including brant, a day or in possession; 15 each of Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), rails, and gallinules a day or in possession.

Game lawfully taken may be possessed during the open season and for 10 days thereafter, but conservation commission may issue special permits to possess upland game for longer period.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that a nonresident licensee may transport within or without the State, in personal possession, 1 day's limit of game he has lawfully taken.

### WYOMING

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Elk (see exceptions).....	No open season.
Exceptions: In Big Horn, Hot Springs, Johnson, Sheridan, and Washakie Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 5.
In Fremont, Park, and Teton Counties.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.
In Lincoln County.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 30.
In Sublette County.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
Deer (male, with forked horns) (see exceptions).....	Oct. 15-Nov. 5.
Exceptions: In Crook, Lincoln, and Weston Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
In Park and Teton Counties.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 15.
In Sublette County.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 15.
In Sweetwater County.....	Oct. 13-Oct. 20.
In Albany, Carbon, and Platte Counties.....	Oct. 13-Oct. 31.
In Converse, Fremont, Natrona, and Uinta Counties.....	Oct. 15-Oct. 31.
In Goshen, Laramie, and Niobrara Counties.....	No open season.
Moose (see exceptions).....	No open season.
Exceptions: In Park and Teton Counties.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 15.
In Lincoln County.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 30.
In Sublette County.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
Mountain sheep.....	No open season.
Antelope (see exceptions).....	No open season.
Exceptions: In Campbell, Carbon, Converse, Fremont, Johnson, Natrona, Niobrara, Sweetwater, and Weston Counties.....	Sept. 25-Oct. 8.
In Park County.....	Sept. 25-Nov. 5.

### Open seasons—Continued.

### Dates inclusive

Pheasant (male) (see exception).....	No open season.
Exception: In Big Horn, Fremont, Goshen, Hot Springs, Park, Platte, Sheridan, and Washakie Counties.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Grouse (see exceptions).....	No open seasons.
Exceptions: In Campbell, Crook, Fremont, Lincoln, Park, Sublette, Teton, and Uinta Counties.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 1.
In Johnson and Sheridan Counties.....	Sept. 22-Sept. 29.
In Weston County.....	Sept. 25-Oct. 1.
Duck (except wood duck, ruddy duck and buffhead duck), goose (except Ross's goose), brant, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Oct. 21-Nov. 19.
Rails and gallinules, other than coot.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: General, \$50; game birds only, \$10; special bear permit (authorizes taking of 3 bears), \$25. Resident: Big game, \$5; game birds, \$2. Guide license (citizen only), \$5 (bond, \$500). Permits to photograph birds and animals during January, February, March, and April, under supervision of commission, \$5. Hunting predatory animals or bears in national forests, fee \$1 for each dog. Licenses and permits issued by State game and fish commissioner, his chief assistant, chief clerk, assistant, and deputy game and fish commissioners, superintendents of fish hatcheries, justices of the peace, and persons authorized by State Game and Fish Commission.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 elk, 1 antelope, 1 bull moose a season; 4 pheasant, 1 hen, 6 grouse a day. Federal limits on killing migratory game birds: 10 ducks, 4 geese including brant, 15 Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe, 15 coots, 25 sora, and 15 of other rails and gallinules a day. Not more than 1 day's limit of ducks and geese, including brant, may be possessed at any one time.

Game taken outside of State and legally exported may be possessed at any time, except that migratory game birds may be possessed only during open season where taken and first 10 days of close season. Person possessing game during close season in State must show lawful taking.

**Interstate transportation:** Export of all protected game prohibited, provided, game may be exported if properly tagged by a justice of peace, assistant or deputy commissioners, or superintendents of fish hatcheries; fee, 50 cents. Game tags issued under affidavit that game was lawfully killed, and, if for edible portion, that it is not for sale. Not more than 1 day's bag limit of migratory game birds may be exported by one person in 1 calendar week.

## LAWS OF CANADA

### ALBERTA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, moose, caribou (males only).....	Nov. 1-Dec. 14. <sup>22</sup>
Elk (8 points or over).....	Oct. 1-Dec. 14. <sup>22</sup>
Mountain sheep (male), mountain goat.....	Sept. 2-Oct. 31.
Bear (black, grizzly).....	Sept. 1-June 14.
Sharp-tailed grouse, south of Saskatchewan River and west of Canadian-Pacific Railway, Edmonton-Calgary-Macleod branch.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 10.
In rest of Province.....	No open season.

<sup>22</sup> Special license required for deer, moose, and caribou during September and October in restricted areas in Clearwater, Brazeau, and Athabaska forest reserves; also for elk (Sept. 16-Dec. 14) in that part of Pembina Brazeau Elk Reserve lying within Brazeau Forest Reserve.

### Open seasons—Continued.

### Dates inclusive

European gray partridge (Hungarian partridge), south of Canadian-Pacific Railway, Seebe-Calgary-Bassano-Brooks-Medicine Hat line.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 30.
North of above line.....	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), rails: North of Clearwater and Athabaska Rivers.....	Sept. 2-Nov. 14.
South of above rivers.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 14.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident: General, \$50; elk license, \$50; game bird, \$25. Resident: Big game, \$2; special big game, \$5; special elk, \$10; bird, \$2.50. Guide, \$2.50 (guide may not act for more than three persons on any trip). Taxidermist, \$5. Issued by minister of agriculture.	

**Bag and possession limits:** Deer, moose, caribou, elk, mountain sheep, bear, 1 of each species a season, mountain goat, 2 a season; sharp-tailed

grouse, 5 a day, 25 a season; Hungarian partridges, 15 a day, 200 a season; 15 ducks a day during September, 25 a day rest of season, 100 a season; 10 geese a day, 25 a season; 25 coots, 25 rails, 25 Wilson's snipe a day. Migratory game birds legally taken during the open season may be possessed until March 31.

**Export:** Export of all protected game prohibited, except that minister of agriculture may grant permits for export of game at rate of \$5 for each head of big game and \$1 a dozen for game birds. The holder of a general nonresident license may export as trophies, heads, skins, and hoofs of big game legally killed by him. Any person may export mounted or branded heads at a fee of \$1 a head. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

**Miscellaneous:** Use of live decoys in hunting migratory waterfowl prohibited.

### BRITISH COLUMBIA

#### Open seasons:

#### Dates inclusive

##### Eastern district:<sup>23</sup>

Bull moose, in Atlin, Fort George, Peace River, Cariboo, and Omineca electoral districts; that part of Skeena electoral district lying in the eastern district; Kamloops electoral district north of Canadian Pacific Railway; and Lillooet electoral district north of fifty-first parallel and east of Fraser River.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.
In Fernie electoral district, and Columbia electoral district south of Bugaboo Creek and west of Columbia River.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 31.
Caribou bulls (except in Mackenzie and Skeena electoral districts); Cariboo electoral district west of Fraser River; and that part of eastern district south of Canadian Pacific Railway.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.
South of main line of Canadian Pacific Railway.....	Sept. 15-Sept. 30.
Bull elk (wapiti), in Fernie electoral district, and in Columbia electoral district except west of Columbia River; and in Similkameen and South Okanagan electoral districts east of Okanagan Lake and River.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 15.
Mountain sheep, north of fifty-sixth parallel.....	Aug. 15-Nov. 15.
South of fifty-sixth parallel and north of Canadian National Railway; in Cariboo and Lillooet electoral districts south of main Chilcotin River and west of Fraser River; and in Fernie, Cranbrook, and Columbia electoral districts.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 15.
Mountain goat, north of fifty-sixth parallel.....	Aug. 15-Dec. 15.
In remainder of eastern district except North Okanagan, South Okanagan, and Grand Forks-Greenwood electoral districts.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.

<sup>23</sup> Western district includes that portion of Province west of summit of Cascades and south of Atlin electoral district, and, in the case of migratory birds, excluding that portion of Lillooet electoral district east of the easterly railway yard limit of Alta Lake railway station on Pacific Great Eastern Railway, and that portion of Skeena electoral district east of easterly railway yard limit of Shames on Canadian National Railway, bounded on the north by Atlin electoral district and on the south by Maitland Island and that part of Atlin electoral district south of fifty-sixth parallel and west of summit of Cascade Mountains. Eastern district includes rest of Province.

#### Open seasons—Continued.

#### Dates inclusive

Bear (except white or Kermodei bear).....	Sept. 1-June 30.
Deer (mule, white-tail, and coast) (see exception).....	Sept. 15-Dec. 15.
Exception: White-tail deer in North Okanagan, South Okanagan, and Similkameen electoral districts, and Grand Forks-Greenwood electoral district west of Midway Mountains.....	No open season.
Grouse (blue and Franklin), in Cariboo, Fort George, Peace River, Omineca, Skeena, and Atlin electoral districts.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 31.
In rest of eastern district (except Franklin grouse in South Okanagan electoral district).....	Sept. 15-Oct. 15.
Ptarmigan, in Cariboo, Fort George, Peace River, Omineca, Skeena, and Atlin electoral districts.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 31.
In rest of eastern district except North Okanagan electoral district.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 15.
Ruffed grouse, in Cariboo, Fort George, Peace River, Omineca, Skeena, and Atlin electoral districts.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 31.
In rest of eastern district except in South Okanagan and part of North Okanagan electoral districts.....	Sept. 15-Sept. 30.
Prairie chicken, sharp-tailed grouse, in Fort George and Peace River electoral districts north and east of Rocky Mountains, and in Cariboo electoral district.....	Sept. 15-Oct. 31.
In Lillooet electoral district.....	Oct. 15-Oct. 31.
In Kamloops and Salmon Arm electoral districts.....	Oct. 15-Oct. 20.
Quail, in South Okanagan and Similkameen electoral districts, and in North Okanagan west of Okanagan Lake and south of Whiteman Creek.....	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Pheasant <sup>24</sup> (cocks only).....	See footnote.
European partridge, in Salmon Arm, Kamloops, North and South Okanagan, and Similkameen electoral districts.....	Oct. 15-Oct. 31.
Duck (except wood duck and eider ducks), goose, brant, coot, Wilson's snipe or jack-snipe (see exceptions).....	Sept. 15-Dec. 31.
Exceptions: In Nelson-Creston and Kaslo-Slocan electoral districts.....	Sept. 15-Dec. 15.
In Omineca, Fort George, Peace River, Atlin, and part of Skeena electoral districts.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.
Western district: <sup>23</sup>	
Bull moose, in Mackenzie electoral district north of fifty-first parallel.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.
Mountain goat (except on Vancouver Island).....	Sept. 14-Dec. 15.
Bear (except white or Kermodei bear).....	Sept. 14-June 30.
Deer (male only).....	Sept. 14-Dec. 15.
Blue grouse (see exceptions).....	Sept. 7-Oct. 31.
Exceptions: On Vancouver Island, and Islands electoral district.....	Sept. 14-Oct. 31.
On Hornby and Denman Islands.....	No open season.
Ruffed grouse.....	Oct. 19-Oct. 31.
Ptarmigan, in Prince Rupert electoral district only.....	Sept. 7-Oct. 31.

<sup>24</sup> For information concerning the local seasons on pheasant, communicate with game commissioner, 411 Dunsmuir Street, Vancouver.

Open seasons—Continued.	Dates inclusive
<i>Western district—Continued.</i>	
Quail (except bobwhite and mountain quail), on Vancouver Island south and east of Oyster River, and on Saltspring Island.....	Oct. 19–Nov. 24.
In North Saanich district.....	Oct. 20, 27, Nov. 3, 10, 17, 24.
On Denman and Saturna Islands.....	Oct. 19–Oct. 31.
Pheasant (cocks only) <sup>24</sup> .....	See footnote.
European partridge (see exception).....	Nov. 9–Nov. 24.
<i>Exception:</i> In North Saanich district.....	Nov. 10, 17, 24.
Duck (except eiders), goose, coot, Wilson's snipe (jack-snipe).....	Oct. 19–Jan. 31.
Black brant.....	Nov. 16–Feb. 29.
Band-tailed pigeon.....	Sept. 7–Oct. 20.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: General, \$25, and \$25 additional for each grizzly bear, moose, mountain sheep, wapiti, or caribou, \$15 additional for each black or brown bear, mountain goat, or mule deer, and \$5 additional for every deer of any other species shot by him; British subject, birds \$5 a week. Resident British subjects or farmers as defined under game act, and members of Army, Navy, air forces, or militia on duty in Province: Deer and birds, \$2.50; big game and birds, \$5. Big game, birds, and trapping, \$10; resident alien, \$10 (big game and game birds only); guide, \$5; taxidermist, \$5. Issued by warden or any person authorized by him.

**Bag limits:** Two mountain sheep, 2 caribou north of main line of Canadian National Railway; 1 of each in rest of Province. Throughout Province: 3 deer, 1 elk (wapiti), 1 moose, 2 grizzly bear, 3 of other species, and 2 mountain goats, a season or in possession. *In eastern district:* 10 quail, 6 grouse, 6 ptarmigan, 6 prairie chickens (except in Cariboo, Lillooet, Kamloops, and Salmon Arm electoral districts 4 prairie chickens), 4 European partridge, a day; 4 pheasants a day, except in Nelson-Creston electoral district, 2 a day. *In western district:* 4 pheasants a day (except in Squamish Valley, 2 a day); 6 European partridge, 6 grouse, 6 ptarmigan, 10 quail, a day. *Throughout Province:* 20 ducks a day, October 19–November 30, of which not more than 3 may be wood ducks; 15 a day remainder of season, not more than 3 of which may be wood ducks; 10 geese, 10 brant, 25 jacksnipe, 25 coots, and 10 band-tailed pigeons a day.

Possession of more than 2 days' bag limit of game birds at one time prohibited.

**Export:** Export of all game prohibited, except under permit of Provincial game warden.

## MANITOBA

Open seasons: <sup>25</sup>	Dates inclusive
Males of caribou, moose, reindeer, and deer, north of Winnipeg River and fifty-third parallel.....	Oct. 1–Oct. 15.
South of above line (see exception).....	Nov. 25–Dec. 5.
<i>Exception:</i> West of Red River and south of Canadian Pacific Railway, Winnipeg-Edmonton line.....	Nov. 25–Nov. 30.
Ptarmigan.....	Oct. 1–Oct. 20.
Duck, goose, coot, rails, north of fifty-third parallel.....	Sept. 10–Oct. 31.
South of fifty-third parallel.....	Sept. 20–Nov. 15.
Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe).....	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Big game—nonresident, \$40; nonresident domiciled in Canada, \$25. Resident, moose and caribou, \$5; deer, \$2.50. Game birds—nonresident, \$25; nonresident domiciled in Canada, \$10. Resident, \$2.25. Issued by director of game and fisheries.

<sup>24</sup> For information concerning the local seasons on pheasant, communicate with game commissioner, 411 Dunsmuir Street, Vancouver.

<sup>25</sup> Seasons and bag limits on prairie chicken, ruffed grouse, and Hungarian partridge fixed by order-in-council.

**Bag and possession limits:** One each of deer, moose, and caribou a season; 15 ptarmigan a day, 50 a season; 15 ducks a day in September, 20 a day in October and November, 100 a season, 40 in possession; 10 geese a day, 50 a season, 15 in possession; 25 coots, 25 rails, and 25 Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe) a day. Possession of ptarmigan allowed for 10 days after close of season, and of migratory game birds for 4 months after close of season. Venison for private use may be possessed at any time on proof of lawful killing. Heads and hides of big game lawfully taken, within or without the Province, may be possessed at any time.

**Export:** Export prohibited of all protected game, except under permit issued by department of mines and natural resources. No permit may be issued for export of ptarmigans, geese, ducks, or entire carcass of any moose, caribou, or deer; provided, nonresident licensee under permit issued free may export carcass of moose, caribou, or deer, and not more than 10 geese and 50 ducks killed by him. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

## NEW BRUNSWICK

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer (see exception).....	Sept. 15–Nov. 30.
<i>Exception:</i> On Grand Manan group, Campbello, and Deer Islands.....	Oct. 15–Nov. 15. <sup>26</sup>
Bull moose (antlers must have 6 points).....	Oct. 20–Nov. 20.
Partridge, pheasant.....	No open season.
Duck (except wood duck), goose, brant, rail, coot (see exception).....	Sept. 15–Dec. 31.
<i>Exception:</i> Islands in Grand Manan group.....	Oct. 15–Jan. 31.
Woodcock, jacksnipe, or Wilson's snipe (see exception).....	Oct. 1–Nov. 30.
<i>Exception:</i> Islands in Grand Manan group.....	Oct. 15–Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: Big game, \$30 (1 bull moose, 2 deer, 4 bears and ducks); \$25 (2 deer, 4 bears and ducks), special license, \$25 (4 bears, April 1–June 30); bird, \$25. Resident: Big game, \$3 (1 bull moose, 2 deer); \$2 (2 deer); bird, \$1; taxidermist, \$1; guide, \$1; camp help, \$1. Nonresidents not permitted to hunt without licensed guide.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer, 1 moose (lumber camp limited to 2 moose and 4 deer) a season; 15 ducks a day, 150 a season; 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day; 8 woodcock a day, 125 a season. Game may be kept for personal use in cold storage during close season under permit, but migratory game birds may not be possessed after January 31, except in Grand Manan group they may be possessed until the last day of February.

**Export:** Export of all game prohibited, except game killed by nonresident licensee may be exported within 15 days after being killed, under permit from Canadian customs office.

## NORTHWEST TERRITORIES <sup>27</sup>

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, moose, and mountain goat.....	Sept. 1–Mar. 31.
Mountain sheep, caribou.....	Sept. 1–Feb. 28.
Polar bear.....	Oct. 1–May 31.
Partridge, prairie chicken, ptarmigan, and other grouse.....	Sept. 1–Dec. 31.
Duck, geese, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson's snipe.....	Sept. 1–Dec. 14.

<sup>26</sup> Resident of Grand Manan, Campbello, and Deer Islands may procure license to shoot 1 deer, Oct. 15 to Nov. 15, and game birds other than partridge, fee \$1.10.

<sup>27</sup> Northwest Territories means the northwest territories formerly known as Rupert's Land and the northwestern territory (except such portions thereof as are included in Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, and Yukon Territory), together with all British territories and possessions in North America and all islands adjacent thereto not included within any Province, except Colony of Newfoundland and its dependencies.

**Hunting and trapping licenses:** Restricted to residents and holders of licenses in 1932. Nonresident British, \$75; other nonresidents, \$150. Residents, \$2. Trading licenses, nonresident British, \$150; other nonresidents, \$300; residents, \$5. Issued by commissioner of Northwest Territories. Permit from commissioner required to establish trading post.

**Bag and possession limits:** 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day. Migratory game birds legally taken during open season may be possessed until April 14.

**Export:** Export of the meat or the raw skins of game animals prohibited, except under permit from minister or authorized officer.

#### NOVA SCOTIA

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Bull moose (except on Cape Breton Island, no open season), buck deer	Oct. 20-Oct. 31.
Hare, rabbit	Dec. 1-Feb. 28.
Ruffed grouse	No open season.
Woodcock and Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe	Oct. 1-Nov. 15.
Duck (except wood duck), goose, brant, rail, coot (see exceptions)	Oct. 1-Jan. 15.
Exceptions: Goose, brant, in Shelburne and Queens Counties	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Duck, rail, in Colchester and Cumberland Counties	Sept. 15-Dec. 31.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident or alien: General, \$50; special deer license, \$25; birds and small game except woodcock and snipe, \$15; woodcock and snipe, \$25. Resident: Big game, \$2; guide, \$2. Taxidermist, \$5. Issued by minister of lands and forests, and agents.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 buck deer, 1 moose a season; 10 ducks, 5 geese, 5 brant, 25 in all of rails and coots, 25 Wilson's snipe, a day; 8 woodcock a day, 100 a season. Green hide or fresh meat of moose and deer may be possessed October 16 to November 20. Migratory game birds legally taken may be possessed for 1 month after close of open season, except that geese may be possessed until last day of February in Shelburne and Queens Counties.

**Export:** Export of all protected game, except hare and rabbit, prohibited, but holder of nonresident general license or special deer license, may ship out of Province under license tag 1 moose or 1 deer lawfully shot by himself.

#### ONTARIO

Open seasons: <sup>28</sup>	Dates inclusive
Deer, bull moose, north of main line Canadian National Railway, from Quebec to Manitoba boundaries	Sept. 15-Nov. 25.
North of French and Mattawa Rivers, Lake Nipissing, and south of Canadian National Railway (see exception)	Oct. 25-Nov. 25.
Exception: On St. Joseph's Island, in Algoma District	Nov. 10-Nov. 25.
South of French and Mattawa Rivers and Lake Nipissing (except in the southwest and southeast counties) (see exception)	Nov. 5-Nov. 20.
Exception: Moose	No open season.
Hare	No close season.
Woodcock	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, Wilson's snipe (jacksnipe), north and west of French and Mattawa Rivers	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.
South of French and Mattawa Rivers	Oct. 1-Nov. 30.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: Game, \$41; bear, game birds, and rabbits, \$15.50; deer, bear, game

birds, and rabbits, \$25.75. Resident: Moose, \$6; deer, \$4; camp license, \$4 (allows 1 deer to 4 residents for food in camp); game, \$1. Guide, \$2. Issued by department of game and fisheries.

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 deer, 1 bull moose, a season; 15 ducks a day, 150 a season; 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day. Eight woodcock a day, 125 a season. Two or more persons hunting together under license may kill an average of 1 deer each. Possession of all game legally taken permitted during open season and until March 31.

**Export:** Export of all wild game animals and birds prohibited, provided, 1 deer, 100 ducks, 1 bull moose, and under export permit bears or bear pelts, may be exported under nonresident hunting license if shipping coupon and, if required, affidavit of lawful killing be attached and contents of packages be open to view. Minister may issue permit for export of game, dead or alive, at any time, except migratory birds during close season.

#### PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Hare, rabbit	Nov. 1-Feb. 1.
Partridge (open in odd, closed in even years)	Oct. 15-Nov. 15.
Woodcock, jacksnipe or Wilson's snipe	Sept. 15-Nov. 30.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule	Sept. 1-Dec. 14.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, \$20; nonresident owner of real estate valued at \$325 and paying taxes thereon, \$5; sons, brothers, and sisters of residents returning for visit, \$2.50; guest permit, \$2.25 per week. Issued by game inspector or justice of peace.

**Bag and possession limits:** 3 partridges a day; 10 ducks, 5 geese, 5 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day; 8 woodcock a day, 125 a season. Migratory game birds legally taken in open season may be possessed until January 31.

**Export:** Export prohibited of all game, provided, nonresident licensee may carry out of Province 12 birds killed by himself if tagged and carried open to view. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season.

#### QUEBEC

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Bull moose (see exception)	Sept. 10-Nov. 30.
Exception South of St. Lawrence River	Sept. 20-Nov. 30.
Deer	Sept. 1-Oct. 31.
Caribou, in Gaspé, Bonaventure, and Matane Counties only	Sept. 20-Nov. 30.
Hare	Oct. 15-Jan. 31.
Bear	Aug. 20-June 30.
Birch or spruce partridge, sharp-tailed grouse	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.
White partridge or ptarmigan	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, woodcock, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe	Sept. 1-Dec. 15.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident: General, \$25 (fee, \$1) (members of incorporated hunting clubs, \$10 plus fee of 50 cents). Resident, not British subject, \$5, resident, deer, \$1, moose, \$1. Special caribou license: Residents, \$1; nonresidents, \$1, in addition to \$25 license. Issued by minister of public works, game, and fisheries.

**Bag and possession limits:** 2 deer, 1 moose, 1 caribou, a season; 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day; 8 woodcock a day, 125 a season. Migratory game birds legally taken during open season may be possessed until March 31, and others during first 15 days of close season.

**Export:** Export of moose, caribou, and deer, or parts thereof, prohibited, except nonresident licensee may take out game animals killed by himself, under customs declaration and approval of Canadian collector of customs; export of grouse or partridges and of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Big game lawfully taken and coming from without Province may be transported under export permit of minister of public works, game, and fisheries.

<sup>28</sup> Season may be opened by regulation on partridge, pheasant, quail, wild turkey, mourning dove, and squirrel.

SASKATCHEWAN

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, moose (males only), caribou.....	Nov. 15-Dec. 15.
Hungarian partridge.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 15.
Sharp-tailed grouse, or prairie chicken; pinnated grouse, or prairie hen, ruffed grouse.....	Oct. 1-Oct. 15.
Duck (except wood duck), goose, coot, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe, south of Township 61.....	Sept. 15-Nov. 14.
North of Township 60.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 31.
<b>Hunting licenses:</b> Nonresident alien: Big game, \$50; birds, \$25; nonresident domiciled in Canada: Big game, \$10, birds, \$10; issued by minister of railways, labor, and industries. Resident: Big game, \$5; birds, \$1.50; issued by minister or agent.	

**Bag and possession limits:** 1 moose a season; 2 deer or 1 deer and 1 caribou, 1 caribou a season; 15 Hungarian partridges a day, 30 in possession; 5 of each species of grouse a day, 10 each in possession; 10 ducks, 5 geese, a day; 30 coots a day, 150 a season; 30 Wilson's snipe a day, but not more than 2 days' limit of each in possession at one time. Game birds may be kept in licensed storage from September 16 to last day of February, and flesh of big game from December 1 to April 1, if tagged with number and kind of game, name of depositor, and number of his hunting license.

**Export:** Export of all protected game prohibited; provided, nonresident licensee on leaving Province may take with him during open season personally under his license coupons and permit, big game and 100 game birds legally killed. Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Minister may issue permits to export deer (fee, \$2 a head) or other big game (fee, \$5 a head), hides of big game (fee, \$1 each), flesh of big game (fee, \$1 each 20 pounds or less); birds (fee, \$1 a dozen; limits, 5 dozen ducks, 1 dozen geese, a season). No permit may be issued for the entire carcass of a moose caribou, or other deer, and no person may export in one season more than 60 ducks or 12 geese.

YUKON

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Deer, moose, caribou, mountain sheep, mountain goat (males only).....	Aug. 1-Mar. 1.
Partridge, prairie chicken, grouse, ptarmigan, pheasant.....	Sept. 1-Mar. 15.
Duck, goose, brant, rail, coot, gallinule, Wilson's snipe or jacksnipe.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 14.

**Hunting licenses:** Nonresident, not British subject, \$100; nonresident British subject, \$75 (permits the killing of 1 moose, 2 deer, 2 caribou, 1 mountain sheep, and 1 mountain goat); licensee in addition may kill 1 moose, 2 deer, 2 caribou, 1 mountain sheep, and 1 mountain goat, but must pay a fee of \$25 for each additional animal so taken. Nonresident, general game, \$5. Resident, \$25 (special license authorizing the killing of male moose and male caribou over 1 year of age at any time for food supplies in the Territory); licensee must make annual returns. Resident, general game, \$1. Resident: Chief guide, \$20; assistant guide, \$10. Issued by commissioner or game guardian.

**Bag and possession limits:** (For limits on big game to a nonresident, see Hunting Licenses.) Six caribou, 6 deer, 2 moose, 2 mountain sheep, 2 mountain goats, a season; 25 ducks, 15 geese, 15 brant, 25 in all of rails, coots, and gallinules, and 25 Wilson's snipe a day. Migratory game birds legally taken during open season may be possessed until April 14.

**Export:** Export of migratory birds prohibited during close season. Upon affidavit of lawful killing, commissioner may issue permit to export game. Export of raw hide of moose or caribou prohibited except under permit. Trophies, including head, hide, and hoofs, of big game lawfully killed by nonresident may be exported under his license and certificate of game guardian.

<sup>20</sup> Indians, explorers, surveyors, prospectors, miners, and travelers in need of food may take game during close season. Commissioner in council may alter seasons.

LAWS OF NEWFOUNDLAND

Open seasons:	Dates inclusive
Hare, rabbit.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 20.
Ptarmigan, willow grouse or partridge, geese, plover, curlew, snipe, or "other wild or migratory birds (except crows and hawks, unprotected)".....	Oct. 1-Dec. 20.

**Export:** Export or canning of ptarmigan and other game birds prohibited.

**Miscellaneous:** Use of repeating or automatic shotguns prohibited.

LAWS OF MEXICO

Open seasons <sup>30</sup> :	Dates inclusive
Deer (male), north of twentieth parallel.....	Oct. 16-Jan. 31.
South of twentieth parallel.....	July 16-Oct. 15.
On Cedros Island.....	No open season.
Antelope, mountain sheep.....	No open season.
Bear.....	Sept. 1-Oct. 31.
Rabbit.....	Sept. 1-Feb. 28.
Peccary.....	Aug. 1-Feb. 28.
Grouse.....	Sept. 1-Sept. 30.
Quail, partridge.....	Jan. 1-Apr. 30.

Open seasons—Continued	Dates inclusive
White-winged doves.....	Sept. 16-Nov. 30.
Other doves and pigeons.....	Oct. 1-Dec. 31.
Wild turkey (see exception), cololite.....	Sept. 1-Dec. 31.
Exception: Wild turkey in Coahuila, Nuevo Leon, and Tamaulipas.....	Feb. 15-Apr. 30.
Armadillo.....	Nov. 1-Jan. 31.
Tapir.....	Sept. 1-Nov. 30.
Ducks, geese, shore birds.....	Nov. 1-Feb. 28.

<sup>30</sup> Data on 1935 seasons not received at time of going to press.

## FIELD SERVICE, DIVISION OF GAME MANAGEMENT, BUREAU OF BIOLOGICAL SURVEY

[Violations of the Federal game laws may be reported to the nearest official listed, or to the Chief, Bureau of Biological Survey, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.<sup>31</sup>]

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